

ALL THE NEWS OF THE BADGER STATE

LA CROSSE FAIR ASSOCIATION IN GOOD FINANCIAL FORM

Coal Dealers Meet at Watertown to Settle Disputes—Suit Against an Insurance Company—Items Gleaned From Every Portion of the Commonwealth

La Crosse, Wis., March 4.—A statement by the Interstate Fair association yesterday, shows a more satisfactory condition of affairs than has existed in the past two years. With the receipts of 1897 fair all obligations of that event have been discharged and arrears of the 1896 event, which was ruined by rains and other misfortunes, taken care of except about \$300. There remains a note held by one of the banks for \$3,500 which has been reduced nearly \$2,000 since last year. This is no annoyance as long as the interest is paid, and the association will begin its work for a fair this year with excellent prospects and no annoyances. With the generally reviving activity, it is considered safe to venture upon a larger fair and more important attractions than for several years past.

COAL DEALERS HAVE A MEETING

Couvene at Watertown to Settle Their Grievances.

Watertown, Wis., March 4.—A meeting of the Executive board of the Coal Dealers' association of Illinois and Wisconsin was held yesterday. The members of the board are E. O. Brown, Oshkosh; J. W. Lowe, Chicago; B. B. Boecher, Naperville, Ill.; Theodore Huber, Watertown and W. H. Simpson, Milwaukee.

The association has been in existence about a year and a half. It is the outgrowth of the old Coal Dealers' association of the northwest, which failed in its purposes on account of an attempt to cover too great a territory. It has a membership of about 400, including the prominent wholesale dealers of Chicago and Milwaukee and many of the leading retailers of the two states.

The main object of the organization is to prevent infringement upon the rights of the retailers by the wholesalers and to establish the equitable principle that the retailer shall not be subjected to competition with the parties he buys from; that a fair opportunity be offered the man who invests his time and money in the retail business, and assure the risk which such business inevitably involves, to earn an adequate remuneration for his labor and the use of his capital. The association does not attempt to regulate prices in the least.

Yesterday's meeting was to discuss and settle grievances and in the interest of increasing the association's membership. There were present from Janesville J. W. Hodgden, J. W. Carpenter, William Bugge and John Lowright.

INSURANCE COMPANY SUE.

Eau Claire Parties Seek To Recover Ten Thousand Dollars.

Eau Claire, March 4.—A case growing out of the fall of the Music hall block has been appealed to the supreme court. The suit is to recover about \$10,000 from the Fidelity & Causey Insurance company of New York. The Phoenix Manufacturing company is the plaintiff, and the amount stated was paid by it on account of the killing and injuring of workmen employed on the building when it collapsed. The company has carried a general insurance policy with the insurance company mentioned for its employees. The defendants seek to avoid the policy on the ground that the work being done was not in the line of work in which such policy was issued.

CASUALTY COMPANY TAXES.

They Will Pay More Than \$54,000 Into the State Treasury.

Madison, Wis., March 4.—The stock casualty companies doing business in the state will have to pay \$54,588.22 into the state treasury under the decision of the Supreme court in the Traveler's case before being again licensed to do business here. It is estimated that the decision will bring an added income to the state of \$10,000 a year. The United States Casualty company today paid the state \$900, that amount being due under the Traveler's decision.

Pensions For Veterans.

Washington, March 4.—Pensions have been granted to residents of Wisconsin as follows:
Original—Vincent L. Benjamin, Fond du Lac, \$6.
Restoration, Reissue and Increase—Lorenzo F. Cain (dead) Hogarty, \$6 to \$12.

Increase—Harvey H. Dye, National Milwaukee home, \$8 to \$12; Henry Gebhardt, Jefferson, \$30 to \$50; Noble King, Necedah, \$6 to \$12; Kimball T. Chandler, Waupesa, \$6 to \$12; James M. Jay, Crystal Lake, \$6 to \$10.

Widows—Margaretta Breuer, Appleton, \$8; Katherine Schindler, Monroe, \$8; O. Amelia Cain, Hogarty \$8.
State News in Brief
A building exchange was organized at Oshkosh last evening with a membership of fifty-six. The officers are: President, C. R. Meyer; secretary, A. E. Krippene; treasurer, H. F. Kitz;

COUNTY PAYS WELL FOR WOLF SCALPS

LOOKS LIKE A THRIVING BUSINESS FOR FARMERS.

Wolves Seem to be Multiplying in Numbers Instead of Becoming Extinct—Last Year Seven Times as Much Was Paid Out as in 1896.

The question has sometimes presented itself to the minds of the county officials whether an effort was now being made to establish a wolf industry in Rock county, and put it on a paying basis. The year of 1897 was indeed quite a profitable one for the wolf catchers, when it is considered that the day has arrived when the wolf should be a pretty scarce animal in this section. Yet the amount of money paid out in bounties in the year closing 1897 was seven times as large as the highest amount of the preceding year.

Large Bounties Paid.
County Clerk McIntyre gives the following figures for the past eight years of the exact amount of money spent each year by the county for scalps:

1890.....\$210
1891.....145
1892.....40
1893.....100
1894.....270
1895.....99
1896.....15
1897.....105

To these figures may be added the state tax.

From the first of this year till Feb. 18, the sum of \$20 has been paid out for scalps, so that it is plain to be seen that the year 1898 promises to be a "wolf year." In 1895 the county bounty was cut down from \$10 to \$5 a scalp.

Scalps by the Score
In 1897 scalps were brought to in wholesale lots, E. Eveland, of the town of Janesville, bringing in at one time the scalps of eight little wolves for which he received \$80 bounty from the state and county. This is the largest single capture ever made in this county. In 1894 three different litters of seven wolves each were brought in. Of late years the greater portion of the wolves have been captured in the towns of Avon, Newark, Turtle and Magnolia. As strange as it may seem but few old wolves have been captured, and in nearly every case the farmer reports them as having escaped.

Circumstances Are Suspicious.
It is hardly right to insinuate that any resident of Rock county would make a business of raising wolves to dispose of to the county. Still, if any enterprising farmer has a pair of wolves on his territory he could permit them to roam undisturbed in his woodland, to eat a stray chicken or two, and bring forth their young in peace. He will find it profitable, if so disposed.

The wolf ought certainly to be well nigh extinct by this time in this section, and according to the figures of the bounty paid out in the last six months it is rapidly becoming so, unless this is not a good "wolf year."

CALEDONIANS ELECT OFFICERS

Annual Meeting of the Rock County Society of Scots

At the meeting of the Rock County Caledonian society held yesterday, the following officers were chosen for the coming year:

Vice President—James Scott.
Secretary—James Gibson.
Treasurer and Librarian—John Harvey.

Board of Directors—O. C. MacLean, Alex. Galbraith, Dr. James Mills, James Scott and P. K. Caldwell.

A committee on socials was appointed consisting of Dr. James Mills, chairman; O. C. MacLean, P. K. Caldwell, James R. Lamb, James Selkirk and James Gibson.

Resolutions of condolence, eulogy and sympathy were adopted regarding the recent passing away of David Davidson and James McLean.

In the evening a social was given at the society's rooms. The program was an excellent one, consisting of a zither duet by Will Harvey and James Botsford, recitations by Miss Edna Murdoch and Estes Hardy. Miss Sadie Bates, a child elocutionist of much talent, gave some clever recitations, which were followed by a song by Harry Robinson, a recitation by Miss Imogene McDonald, a recitation by Miss Mabel Taylor, of Orfordville, a song by Miss Pearl Weaver, and the program was concluded with a recitation by Miss Sadie Bates and dancing.

GENERAL CLAY IS FORSAKEN

His Child Wife Leaves Him For Good and All.

Richmond, K., March 4.—Mrs. Dora Richardson Clay, child-wife of General O. M. Clay, inspected several cottages at Valley View yesterday with a view of buying one for her future residence. Her other John accompanied her and it is understood that he and his family will live with her.

She told the owners of the cottages who gave her prices, that General Clay was putting up the money for her. This is taken as conclusive proof that final separation has been agreed upon by her and the general, who will provide her a comfortable home.

Cotton Mills Burned

Bombay, March 4.—[Special]—The cotton mills at Mascaon were burned today. The loss is \$265,000.

Bank Robbed

Findley Park, Ill., March 4.—[Special]—The bank in a Bremen store was blown open early this morning and robbed of \$7,400.

Hotel Burned

Graham, W. Va., March 4.—[Special]—The Hotel Graham burned last night. Loss \$65,000.

ALL CONCEDE THE WORK OF VANDALS

EVIDENCE OF THE CAUSE OF THE MAINE EXPLOSION

Torpedoes Were Outside the Vessel and Exploded from the Shore—Blanco Assures Americans of Protection in Havana—War Preparations Going Forward.

New York, March 4.—[Special]—The Washington special to The Sun confirms the report given in these dispatches yesterday that the president has received word that the Maine has blown up from the outside. Gen. Lee is the president's informant.

New York, March 4.—[Special]—A cable to the Herald from Havana says the finding of plates from the bottom of the Maine proves a submarine mine caused the explosion.

WORK OF PREPARATION.

Great Activity at All the Armories and Navy Yards.

New York, March 4.—The Carpenter Steel company, with offices at 1 Broadway, together with the Midvale Steel company, of Philadelphia, and the Fifth Stirling Company, of Pittsburgh, acting under instructions from their representatives in Washington today began work night and day at their plants to enable them to fill an order from the war department for \$1,000,000 worth of armor piercing projectiles to be used for coast defense.

This imperative order means that the government has decided to exert every means at its command to immediately prepare the American coast against attack.

The three companies that have been called upon are the only ones in the United States manufacturing the projectiles used by the coast defense guns. The Carpenter Steel company has furnished projectiles to the government since 1890. The manager of the company in this city said that never before had a rush order been issued to the company and its plant forced to be in operation day and night.

Judge Mayer, counsel for the Carpenter Steel company, and H. M. Hawkesworth, the first vice president, were summoned to Washington Tuesday by a telegram from the war department signed by General Flagler, chief of the ordnance bureau. The telegram read:

"Can representative of your firm come here at once to confer about the manufacture of projectiles in large quantities?"

A similar telegram was sent to the Midvale and Fifth Stirling Steel Companies. The conference was held in Washington the same day, and late at night the head offices were instructed to start their shifts at the plants working day and night and to get everything in readiness to begin work on the new contract.

W. B. Kunhardt, second vice president of the Carpenter Steel Company, said today:

"We started in this morning at our plant in Reading, Pa. We are doing work now for the government, but this new order will take precedence over it. It will take all the companies working at their fullest capacities from two to three months to fill the order completely."

MINES FOR FORTRESS MONROE

Defenses Are Being Strengthened Against a Possible Attack

Newport News, Va., March 4.—There can be no doubt that the government is actively engaged in placing Fortress Monroe on a war footing.

In spite of the fact that all officers and men are under oath to divulge nothing in reference to operations inside the fort it has been learned on unquestioned authority that within the past few days a large number of torpedoes, said to be upward of 100 have been received at Fortress Monroe, and nineteen ten-inch rifles of the latest pattern are expected to arrive either tonight or tomorrow.

One week ago there was not 1,000 pounds of powder inside the grass covered fortifications at this point. Within the last few days many times that amount of the highest explosives have been received and is now undergoing the tests required by law.

Gun cotton and wet and dry explosives were subjected to test yesterday morning. The revenue cutter Hamilton, now at Old Point, is believed to be the light draft vessel sent here by the department to lay off the squares for the planting of the submarine mines.

BELIEVE WAR IS IMPENDING

Spaniards in Havana Look for an Early Declaration

Havana, March 4.—[Special]—Great activity prevails in the batteries here, and Spanish officials talk as if war was near at hand. The Americans, however, walk the streets unmolested.

Bianco has assured correspondents that Americans in Havana are safe, despite stories printed to the contrary.

MARINES FOR THE PACIFIC

They Are Transferred Quietly From Atlantic Ports

Atlanta, March 3.—[Special]—The navy department has been transferring marines from the Atlantic to the Pacific coast in a suspicious manner

WEATHER FORECAST

Chicago, March 4.—[Special]—

Forecast for Wisconsin:
Fair and warmer.

during the past few days. It is believed they are being consigned to a war vessel near Vallojo, Cal.

THE ITALIAN JUBILEE

Jubilee Anniversary Being Celebrated at Rome

Rome, March 4.—[Special]—The jubilee anniversary of the Italian constitution is being celebrated today. A royal ceremony at the capitol will be given on an enormous scale tonight.

INSURGENTS ARE FULLY ARMED.

No More Filibustering Expeditions Will Go to Cuba.

New York, March 4.—[Special]—The Cuban Junta has decided to send out no more filibustering expeditions, as the insurgents are now fully armed.

Alabama Militia Ready.

Birmingham, Ala., March 4.—[Special]—The commander of the Alabama National Guard has sent out a secret letter to all companies in the state with a view to place the militia on an immediate war footing.

Fears Violence.

Savannah, Ga., March 4.—[Special]—Mrs. Brunner, wife of the United States health officer at Havana, has returned to her home here through fear of violence in Havana.

Transportation of Supplies.

Norfolk, Va., March 4.—[Special]—The government has an agent here engaged in making the rounds of all the railroad offices to ascertain their facilities for transporting supplies on short notice.

Coal Orders Placed.

Washington, March 4.—[Special]—The navy department has placed several large orders for coal since the Maine disaster.

Orphan Asylum at Havana

Washington, March 5.—[Special]—General Lee wires from Havana that he has established an asylum for orphans of all nationalities at Havana.

DEATHS BY VIOLENCE

Four Negroes Drowned in the Ohio—Ground to a Pulp—Lost in a Wreck.

Cincinnati, March 4.—[Special]—Four negroes were thrown into the river yesterday by the breaking of a plank on a steamer and drowned. They were: Millard Dancy, Louis Jackson, Louis Miller, and William Vandike.

Ottawa, Ia., March 4.—[Special]—A. N. Hull, one of Iowa's wealthiest men, was ground to a pulp in a flouring mill at Selma yesterday.

Texarkana, Ark., March 4.—[Special]—A steam dry kiln collapsed last evening, seriously injuring ten men, two of whom will die.

Key West, March 4.—[Special]—None of the bodies of the nine persons who lost their lives by the capsizing of the schooner Speedwell yesterday have been recovered.

Fort Worth, Tex., March 4.—[Special]—News has been received that five miners were killed by foul gas while exploring old mines near San Antonio.

JUMPED INTO A MINE

Terrible Leap of an Insane Man at Ishpeming Last Evening.

Ishpeming, Mich., March 4.—[Special]—John F. Armstrong, a mining man of considerable note, and well-known throughout the Lake Superior region and western mining districts, while temporarily insane, walked to one of the Lake Superior Mining company's shafts last evening and jumped into an opening, falling 440 feet. He was unharmed.

TWO BEATEN TO DEATH

Negroes Are Brutally Killed by Their White Bosses in Alabama.

Decatur, Ala., March 4.—[Special]—News of a double murder near Cluttsville is just received here. Al Shuyer and Jim White, both colored, were beaten and shot to death by two white grading bosses during a quarrel over the performance of work.

Rock Prairie Wedding.

Rock Prairie, Wis., March 4.—Thursday evening, March 3, William Mawhinney, of Ada, S. D., and Miss Evaline Godfrey, of Lima, Wis., were united in marriage. The ceremony was performed by Rev. S. G. Huey in the presence of a large number of friends and relatives of the contracting parties, after which they all sat down to a sumptuous wedding dinner. The couple were also the recipients of a large number of presents. Both are well and favorably known, and have the best wishes of a host of friends. They will soon leave for their future home at Ada, S. D.

Buy remnants of cambrics and ginghams at half price tomorrow at Bort, Bailey & Co's.

GONE TO THEIR LAST RESTING PLACE

MANY OLD RESIDENTS CON-SIGNED TO THE TOMB.

Death of Mrs. James Murwin—Funeral Rites Over the Remains of Those Recently Deceased—Long List of Departed Citizens of Rock County.

Mrs. James Murwin, an old and respected resident of the county, died yesterday morning at 9 o'clock, at her home in the town of Fulton. The deceased was one of the pioneer settlers of Rock county, having been a resident of that town for fifty-five years. She was seventy-four years old and leaves beside a husband, six children, Robert, Mrs. W. L. Hoague, Miss Oeslia Murwin, Adelbert Murwin, Mrs. S. A. Pope, of the town of Fulton, and Mrs. John Cante, of Leesburg, Oregon.

The funeral will be held Saturday afternoon from the house. Rev. Mr. Reed, of Fulton, will officiate.

M. J. Broderick

Rev. J. J. Collins preached an eloquent sermon over the remains of the late M. J. Broderick at St. Patrick's church this morning at 9:30 o'clock. Friends of the deceased were present in goodly numbers, while not a few came from out of the city. Many beautiful floral offerings were made and the interment was in Mt. Olivet. The pall bearers were: Thomas McKeigue, Michael Griffin, J. H. Crowley and Edward Dermody.

Lawrence Krahmer.

All that was mortal of the late Lawrence Krahmer was laid to rest yesterday in Oak Hill cemetery. Exercises were held on the Solomon Spoon farm, three miles west of Janesville on the Footville road. Rev. Robert O. Denison, of the Congregational church, officiated. The attendance of friends was large and there was a fine display of floral tributes.

Mrs. John Croak.

Every available seat was occupied in St. Patrick's church this morning when the last sad rites were performed over the remains of the late Mrs. John Croak. The floral offerings were many and beautiful and the interment was in Mount Olivet cemetery. The pall bearers were: Michael Mulquin, Charles Viney, John Quirk, John O'Connor, Thomas Flury and Thomas Leahy.

J. W. Millard.

The remains of the late J. W. Millard were brought from his late home in the town of Fulton, yesterday, and were taken to the home of his sister, Mrs. Richard P. Kay, 305 North street, where the funeral will be held tomorrow morning at 9:30 o'clock.

HANGED FOR MURDER

Lorenzo Barnes Pays the Penalty For a Crime Committed In 1896.

Boston, March 4.—[Special]—Lorenzo Barnes was hanged at East Cambridge this morning. He killed John Dean in 1896. He confessed the crime yesterday.

WAR IN NICARAGUA

Conflict Between Costa Rica and Nicaragua Said to Be Impending.

Panama, March 4.—[Special]—Advices from Costa Rica declare that hostilities between Nicaragua and Costa Rica are expected momentarily.

CAPTAIN HEDLEY FREE

Acquitted of the Charge of Murdering Richards at Carlinville, Illinois.

Carlinville, Ill., March 4.—[Special]—Captain Hedley was acquitted this morning of killing ex-Mayor Richards at Bunker Hill last September.

CHICAGO MARKETS BY WIRE.

Furnished by William C. Orolius, broker and banker, stocks, grain and provisions, Lappin's Block, correspondent, Robert Lindblom & Co., Chicago.

Market Quotations, March 4.

	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—				
May	1.08 1/4	1.08 1/2	1.08 1/4	1.08 1/4
July	91 3/4	91 3/4	90	90 3/4

May	30 1/2	30 1/2	30 1/4	30 1/4
July	31 1/2	31 1/2	31 1/4	31 1/4

May	26 1/2	27 1/4	26 1/2	26 1/2
July	24 1/2	25	24 1/2	24 1/2

May	10 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/4	10 1/4
July	11 1/2	11 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2

May	5 1/2	5 1/2	5 1/2	5 1/2
July	5 1/2	5 1/2	5 1/2	5 1/2

May	5 1/2	5 1/2	5 1/2	5 1/2
July	5 1/2	5 1/2	5 1/2	5 1/2

July wheat puts next week 87. Calls 97
May Corn puts next 31 1/4. Puts 29 1/4
Puts today on May corn 30 1/4. Calls 30 1/4 b.
May wheat today puts 1.03 1/4. Calls 1.06 to 1.07
July wheat today. Puts 89 1/4. Calls 91.

Buy remnants of embroideries and lace at half price tomorrow at Bort, Bailey & Co's.

COOPER MADE A GOOD RECORD

HIGHLY COMMENDED FOR HIS ATTACK UPON HUNTINGTON.

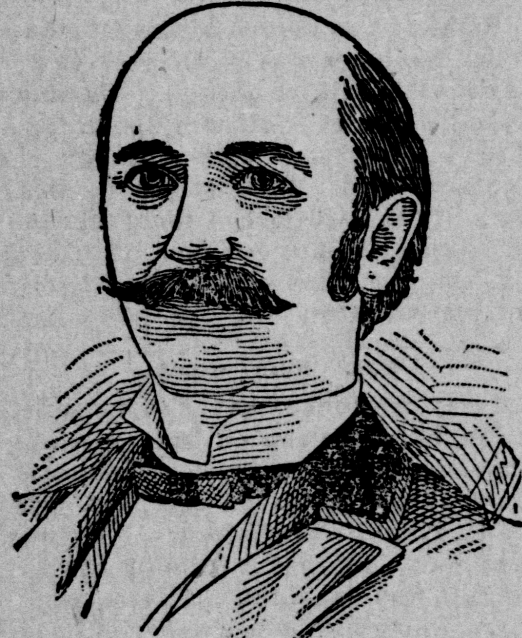
His Efforts on Behalf of a Harbor at San Pedro Approved by the People of the Coast—His Stand on the Funding Bill.

The speech made the other day by Representative Cooper of the First district on the subject of the San Pedro and Santa Monica harbors of Southern California is the sequel to the old contest waged in the house over the question of funding the debts of the Pacific railroads to the government.

In this latest speech Mr. Cooper got in a parting shot at C. P. Huntington, the prime mover in all the schemes that have been presented in congress for the benefit of the Pacific railroads in their controversy with the government. And in this connection it is worth noting that Representative Cooper can look back over his contest against the Pacific railroads funding bills with a degree of satisfaction that should be pleasing to him and his friends. He fought the funding schemes at every point, and he has the satisfaction of seeing the predictions of the supporters of the schemes come to naught, and the government is getting every dollar that is owing to it from those bond-siders lines.

Cooper's Fight For a Free Harbor

The point about the Southern California harbors, which brought out the latest scathing speech by Mr. Cooper, was directed to showing that the Huntington crowd have sought to induce the government to improve the harbor at Santa Monica, the approaches to which are owned and controlled by Huntington. The San Pedro harbor is a free harbor, the port of the important city of Los Angeles,



CONGRESSMAN COOPER.

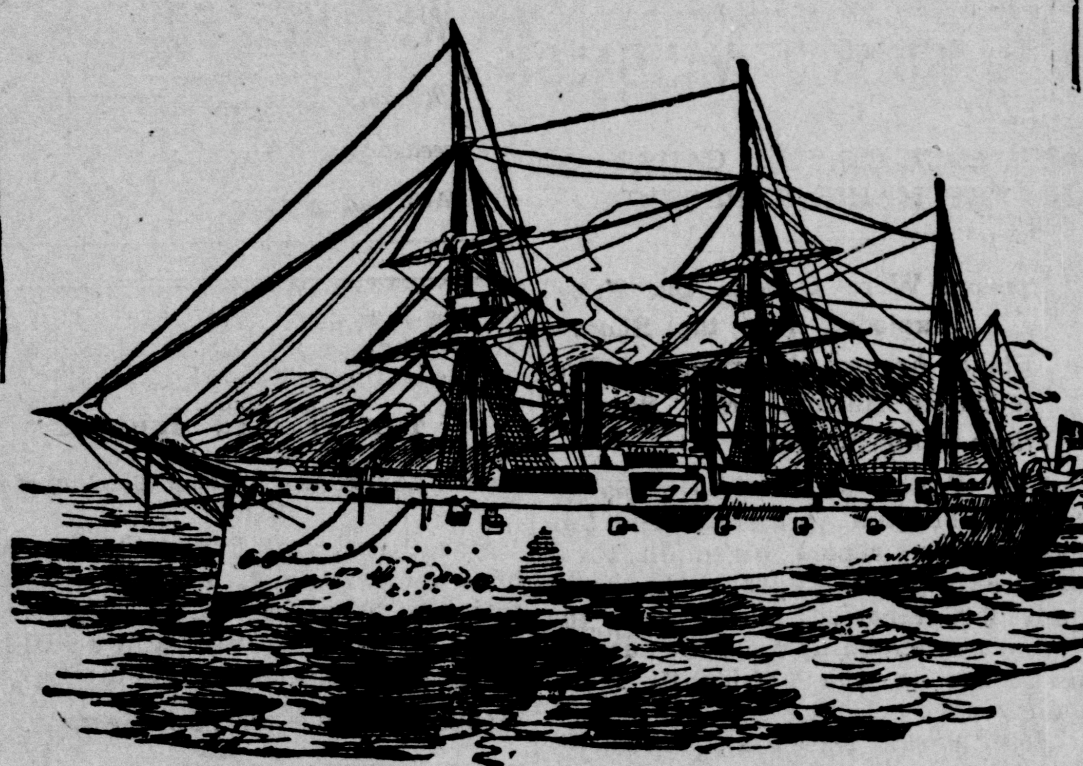
and the great railroad combine has fought it from the beginning, in the interest of the Santa Monica project. Mr. Cooper showed up the whole scheme in his last speech and the cordiality with which his remarks were received by Californians is best shown by a sample of a dozen telegrams received by Mr. Cooper following the delivery of the speech:

Los Angeles, Cal., Feb. 25.—The Hon. Henry A. Cooper, H. R.: Your splendid effort today in behalf of San Pedro harbor, the free harbor of the people, is appreciated in southern California. Ten thousand men will drink your health this afternoon. Signed, The Free Harbor League, by John F. Francis.

One result of the speech on the harbor controversy was to recall the fact that Mr. Cooper made a fight against the Pacific Railroads Funding bill in 1895, which probably had more than any other one influence to do with the defeat of the Funding bill and bringing about the present condition of affairs, the foreclosure of the claims against the Pacific railroads, by which the government is collecting every dollar due from the roads, with interest. Mr. Cooper was the only republican member of the Pacific railroads committee in 1895 who stood out against the funding scheme, by which it was proposed to fund for fifty years the debt due the government, at 3 per cent, making it payable in installments, the debt then being about \$138,000,000. The opposition to the position taken by Mr. Cooper comprised a large number of leading men on both sides of the then democratic house. It was claimed by the promoters of the funding scheme that if the government did not accept the funding proposition there was great danger that "every dollar of the enormous indebtedness due will be lost to the United States." In fact, that is an exact quotation from the speech of Mr. Reilly, of Virginia, the democratic chairman of the committee who was pressing the funding scheme which had been endorsed by the democratic administration. Chairman Reilly also said: "If there should be foreclosure proceedings, either upon the first mortgage, or by the government upon its loan, it cannot be expected that anybody will give for the property at a sale anything like an amount sufficient to pay the first mortgage and the indebtedness of the government."

The Great Funding Bill Contest

The movement for the funding scheme was a strong one. It was endorsed by H. A. Taylor, while United States railroad commissioner in 1892, and Mr. Taylor in a report argued against foreclosure. But the house sustained the position taken by Mr. Cooper, preferring to have the government stand the chances of foreclosure proceedings, rather than submit to the funding scheme. In the last congress Representative Cooper was left off the Committee on Pacific Railroads by Speaker Reed, when the committee



THE AMERICAN PROTECTED CRUISER "CHICAGO."

The "Chicago" is one of ten protected cruisers in the United States navy, while the navy of Spain has but five vessels of the same class. The "Chicago" is of 4,500 tons displacement and is classed by naval experts as one of the finest vessels of the cruiser type ever built by any nation.

were organized, but Mr. Cooper remained true to the position he had taken and opposed the Funding bill when it appeared in the last congress. The claim was made by Judge Powers of Vermont chairman of the Pacific Railroads committee in the last congress, that unless the funding scheme carried, the government would encounter legal difficulties, and in the end would not realize 10 per cent. upon its investment. Representative Lockwood, of New York, the special friend of President Cleveland and champion of the funding scheme of the administration on the floor of the house, said: "The question before you is simply a question whether you will collect the debt that is owing by these Pacific railroads to the government, or whether you will abandon your claim."

It should be a matter of pride to Mr. Cooper and his friends to know that although the funding bill was defeated and foreclosure proceedings were instituted, as Mr. Cooper advocated, should be done, the government has won every point up to this time, and has collected every dollar due, principal and interest. The result fully justifies the opposition Mr. Cooper made to the funding scheme, and his declaration that the government should proceed to foreclosure and that under such proceedings the government would collect every dollar due from the Pacific roads. This prediction may not come true in the case of the small Kansas Pacific line, which starts nowhere and arrives nowhere, but the government is sure of a good share, and possibly all in the case of that small road. Already the government has collected about \$58,000,000 from the Union Pacific, and it is regarded as certain that the remainder, nearly the same amount, will be collected from the Central Pacific.

It was claimed in the Fifty-third congress that Mr. Cooper's speech killed the funding bill, and the prediction he made as to the government getting every dollar that was due from the roads, with interest, has been fulfilled. It was a great battle on the part of the Wisconsin member, against some of the leaders of his own party, but the collections that have been made by the government within the last six months, aggregating more than \$57,000,000, coming as it did in the face of the claim of the supporters of funding schemes that the government would not be able to collect 10 per cent. of the debt after foreclosure, is a great vindication of Mr. Cooper's position in the question.

FINDING RENEWED HEALTH

The Southwest Proves Beneficial to Two Janesville Invalids.

Fred P. King and Robert Bear, who are now in New Mexico and Arizona, are both improved in health to such an extent that they are able to work. Mr. King, who is at Phoenix, Arizona, will soon enter a furniture store in that city, in which line of business he is well posted.

Robert Bear writes from Albuquerque, N. M., that he has accepted a position in a freight office in that city, and that his health is much improved. He also writes that a son and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Gardner, of this city, are now at Albuquerque for the benefit of their health.

The Fur Seal.

The fur seal is a beautiful creature, long and slender, and has a small delicate head, from which its two large eyes gaze at you with an expression almost human. Its body is covered with a heavy coat of soft, brown fur, thickly sprinkled with long white hairs, which have to be pulled out before the dyeing process that changes its color to the well known velvety black. The seal has four flippers, two in front and two behind; they are very powerful propellers enabling it with ease to catch the fish upon which it lives.—Outing for March.

Dreadfully Nervous.

GENTS:—I was dreadfully nervous, and for relief took your Karl's Clover Root Tea. It quieted my nerves and strengthened my nervous system. I was troubled with constipation, kidney and bowel trouble. Your tea soon cleansed my system so thoroughly that I rapidly regained health and strength. Mrs. S. A. Sweet, Hartford, Conn. Sold by People's Drug Co.

JANESVILLE NEWS IN BRIEF

ATTEND the grand musical opening tomorrow.

TWENTY-FIVE cases of fancy oranges at 8 cents a dozen to be sold before Saturday night. Sanborn.

DURING the mid-winter fair you are especially invited to make our store your headquarters—your resting place—your meeting place. Your trading place. Bort, Bailey & Co.

SPECIAL sale of ladies' muslin underwear March 8th, 9th and 10th. The line consists of corset covers, night gowns, shirts, drawers and chemises and this is the way we propose to sell them: 35 cent goods for 23 cents, 65 cent goods for 47 cents, \$1 goods for 71 cents, \$1.25 goods for 97 cents. Bort, Bailey & Co.

On March 8, 9 and 10 we offer the greatest sale of ladies' muslin underwear ever attempted in Janesville. We have 300 dozen pieces, over \$1,600 worth direct from the best manufacturers in this country. We have bought it for spot cash at very low prices and on these days will offer every piece at slightest advance over wholesale cost. You will be surprised at the values of red. Bort, Bailey & Co.

C. B. CONRAD'S REGISTER

Janesville Man's Invention to be Placed on the Market

C. B. Conrad, the popular grocer, has recently invented a new cash register that bids fair to revolutionize things. The machine is exceedingly simple, cannot be falsified, and can be sold at a very low price. It is radically different from any register yet made, both in design and mechanism. A sample has been built and sent to Chicago to be exhibited. Mr. Conrad has applied for his patent, and the invention will soon be given to the public. Mr. Conrad has shown much mechanical genius in his invention. His nickel in this slot machine was an exceedingly good device, but the cash register is a better one.

THE SALOON KEEPERS ESCAPE

They Pay No Penalties for Infractions of the Law.

"It looks to me as though the police of this city couldn't get justice any more in the local courts," said a police officer yesterday, "and especially I refer to the saloon cases that have been brought up of late. No matter how strong the evidence is, it is almost an impossibility to get a jury to convict a saloon keeper." The police had evidence in hand this week, of a West Milwaukee street saloon keeper who disposed of liquor on Sunday, but as yet they have failed to swear out a warrant for his arrest, for it is said they doubt much about his conviction.

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POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENT.

For County Clerk.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of county clerk, subject to the decision of the republican county convention, and solicit the support, at the primaries of all republican voters who look with favor on my candidacy. W. E. PHILLIPS. Evansville, Wis., Feb. 22, 1898.

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Grand Opening.

Janesville Music company, opposite post office Saturday, March 5, showing a full line of the celebrated Schmeer, Steger and Singer pianos, Violins, guitars, mandolins, banjos, zithers, autoharps and general musical merchandise. All of the latest sheet music, music folios and instruction books. Music all day. Souvenirs.

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NOTES FROM THE COUNTY TOWNS

GLEANEED BY GAZETTE REPORTERS.

Entertainment at Milton—Booming Business Noted—Double Birthday Anniversary at Afton—Personal, Social and Industrial Doings of a Busy People.

THE GAZETTE AGENCY, W. W. CLARK, Manager, Milton, Wis., Mar. 4, 1898.

Dr. E. B. Swift has kindly consented to appear in the college lecture course next Tuesday evening and will give an illustrated lecture, using his powerful microscope and cosmoscope. You cannot afford to miss this entertainment that is given without money and without price.

Eight carloads of stock, grain and tobacco were shipped from this station on Tuesday. A good showing for twenty-four hours in a small town and encouraging to the St. Paul company.

Miss Anna Jordan, who has been spending some time in Chicago, has returned, to take a position in the office of the Hull Manufacturing company at Milton Junction.

Remember the donation dinner and supper at the Methodist church next Thursday; also, that your presence and funds are a necessary adjunct to its success.

Soverhill & Porter opened their "sorting room" at the warehouse Thursday, which will furnish employment for from twenty-five to thirty additional hands.

A load of ladies from this place attended the "shadow social" Wednesday evening at the pleasant home of Mr. and Mrs. Will Orandall. They had a jolly good time, as a matter of course.

Mrs. W. T. Miller has been at Eau Claire attending the meeting of the Eau Claire home directors, of which body she is a member.

Mrs. Minnie Jones-Babcock, of New York, is being entertained at President Whitford's. Mrs. Babcock was a student here years ago.

James G. Bond left today for Hinton, West Virginia, to don his uniform and take charge of his train on the C. & O. road.

Sunday evening the W. O. T. U. hold a memorial service for Frances E. Willard, at the Congregational church. Mrs. Henry Koch, of Fairfield, Ill., is visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. C. Goodrich.

Miss Annie T. Chapman, of Madison, is being entertained by Mrs. W. W. Clarke.

G. S. Babcock is at Garwin, Iowa, looking after his farm at that place.

Frank Shaw is at Algonquin, Ill., visiting Dr. Croasley and family.

Afton.

Afton, March 4.—It is not a common occurrence to have two birthday anniversaries come on the same day in the same family, but last Monday, February 28, was celebrated as such at the home of W. J. Miller, the date marking the seventeenth birthday of his father, Lyman H. Miller, and the fortieth natal day of his wife, Hattie A. Miller. The double anniversary was marked by a small but pleasant family gathering. There was a large attendance at the Wednesday evening meeting of the historical club, at which the colonial history of New Hampshire, Rhode Island and Connecticut was considered and a new feature introduced in the spirited discussion of current topics of importance. H. Kay Humphrey, a former Afton boy, but of late years a resident of Green county, has again come to live among us and will make his home with his uncle, J. B. Humphrey. Oscar Watts and family have moved into the north rooms of Mrs. E. J. Antiedell's house, and theلمان house made vacant by their removal, will be occupied by Edward Costas. Fred R. Eldredge is once more at home and will have charge of his father's farm the coming season. Aftonians anticipate a pleasant and instructive time next week at the institute round up and midwinter fair. There will be good delegations present from this vicinity each day. The train service is admirable for those who desire to attend the evening session, the 10:50 p. m. passenger from Janesville to Beloit affording the necessary means for returning home at close of session.

After years of untold suffering from piles, W. B. Pursell of Kiltnerville, Pa., was cured by using a single box of DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. Skin diseases such as eczema, rash, pimples and obstinate sores are readily cured by this famous remedy. People's Drug Co.

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Matting for Floor Coverings.

If only all housekeepers knew the value and comfort of matting, how much worry and work would be saved, how many dull houses would look cheery! If you own your home and have hardwood floors thank kindly destiny and dismiss the subject. But if you live in a rented house, or cannot afford hard floors, if for any reason you are considering the subject of floor-coverings, pause long before passing over the advantages of matting. It is clean, fresh and easily cared for. It is a perfect floor-covering in summer and an excellent background for rugs in winter—from the cheapest to the richest—adding to the cheerfulness of a room, yielding all accumulated dust to light brushing, possessing indeed almost every advantage that a floor-covering can have, with no disadvantages. In making a move or refitting a house, every yard of it can be utilized. It is easily renovated (by soap and salt water), and can be matched or pieced, using the whole parts in two rooms to make one good complete room. Lastly, it is cheap, its growing popularity having so encouraged its manufacture or importation that it is to be had almost everywhere in great variety at moderate cost. To sum up its merits, matting gives a house a fresh, clean feeling, a sense of cheerfulness that no other floor covering gives. Its soft, new colorings make it available in the most carefully studied color schemes; it is pleasant to walk upon, is a practical protest against dust and microbes, is, in fact, both wholesome and satisfactory.—Home Companion.

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NEWS FROM THE MORNING PAPERS

Washington, March 4.—Judge Day the assistant secretary of state, and the closest confidential friend of President McKinley, says that in the absence of any information, either official or unofficial, as to what will be the finding of the naval board of inquiry, the administration can have no policy regarding the destruction of the battleship Maine. Judge Day sees no reason why the naval board should not make its report next week. That would end the present suspense and enable the president to decide upon a policy.

Judge Day is the confidential friend of the president, and has been for many years. He knows the personal views of the president better than any other man. He is a constant friend, and keeps his lips sealed regarding the personal opinions of his friend and his chief. He realizes that the president must be the judge to pronounce sentence on Spain if she is guilty of blowing up the battleship and to fix the responsibility if the ship was blown up by other than Spanish officials.

It would ill become the president to have an opinion or a policy regarding a question which is on trial, until he has the report of the board of inquiry and knows what is the evidence. It is stated most positively by Assistant Secretary Day and by Secretary Alger that the administration has no information which has not been made public, and it can have no opinion until it knows the facts as they will be revealed by official investigation.

General Alger said: "There is not an iota of information as to the cause or origin of the explosion upon which the government can at this time form a conclusion or base a decision. The verdict of the court of inquiry on that point must patiently be awaited."

President McKinley has had but one policy calling for action at this time. That is to be prepared for any emergency that may come. He has neglected nothing that could be done to be prepared for war, if war should be the outcome of this affair.

HARBOR WAS DRAGGED.

Care Taken by Capt. Sigbee—No Mine Was Below the Ship.

New York, March 4.—A dispatch from Washington to the Herald says: "Theories that the Maine was destroyed by a stationary submarine mine on the bottom of Havana harbor are much weakened by information which I have received tending to support General Weyler's declaration to the Madrid correspondent of the Herald that no mine had been laid down in the harbor of Havana."

"I was informed that the navy department has evidence that the night after the arrival of the Maine in the harbor Captain Sigbee had a careful investigation made by means of a steam launch and a drag at the end of a line to ascertain whether there was a mine of any kind below the ship. I was told that the investigation covered all the area in which the ship would drift swinging at her moorings with the changing tide. Nothing suspicious was found, according to my informant."

"This information has not in any way strengthened the theory that an accident inside the ship was responsible for her destruction. That is too completely contradicted by the evidence which has already been submitted to the court of inquiry, as shown by the Herald's dispatches from Havana and Key West."

STAND BY PRESIDENT.

Party Lines Will Disappear in Event of War with Spain.

New York, March 4.—The Washington correspondent of the Sun says:

"Whatever action President McKinley may decide to take to effect a settlement of the Cuban question, he will undoubtedly have the unanimous non-partisan support of the American congress."

"A Democratic senator some days ago drew up a resolution, expressing it to be the sense of congress that the hands of the administration should be upheld, no matter at what cost, in any controversy with Spain that should go beyond the limits of diplomatic conference and correspondence. A canvass of Republicans, Democrats and Populists showed that such a resolution would be passed promptly. It has not yet been introduced, because it is not certain that a time will ever come when its passage would be timely or wise."

Shot and Shell for 'Risco.

San Francisco, March 4.—The war department has issued orders for the immediate transfer of ammunition for the Benicia arsenal to this city. The object is to supply the needs of the batteries and heavy ordnance at the Presidio and Blackport, which constitute the most important harbor defenses of San Francisco.

Report of Spanish Diver.

Havana, March 4.—Consul General Lee says he understands the report of the Spanish divers, soon to be made, will be brief and to the effect that the bolts on the sheeting of the sides of the Maine were sheared in all cases so evenly as to prove conclusively that the initial explosion must have come from within.

Lancaster to Be Equipped.

Portsmouth, N. H., March 4.—Orders have been received at the navy yard to make the outfit for the United States steamship Lancaster with the quick-

est possible dispatch. It is expected that the Machias and Essex will be made ready for service at the Portsmouth yards at once.

Check from President Dole.

Washington, March 4.—A substantial evidence of sympathy for the survivors of the Maine and the families of the victims was received at the navy department Thursday in the shape of a check for \$500 from President Dole of Hawaii. The money was turned into the Maine relief fund.

Call to Loyal Spaniards.

City of Mexico, March 4.—A manifesto signed "A Spaniard" has been profusely distributed here. It refers to the imminence of war between Spain and the United States and is a patriotic call on Spaniards to come to the rescue of their own country, which, as the manifesto states, has been wantonly proclaimed by the most powerful nation. The manifesto states that it is for the Spaniards to prove their patriotism and self-sacrifice. The manifesto contains no insults to Americans.

Would Welcome Japan.

New York, March 4.—General Merritt, when asked concerning the participation of Japan in a struggle with Spain and whether the United States would be in a position to welcome the mikado's troops as combatants, declared that the contest with Spain could be successfully waged alone by the United States.

One More Body Is Recovered.

Havana, March 4.—Another body was recovered from the wreck Thursday, but there was absolutely no means of identification.

WILL MEET IN MAY.

Indiana Republicans Fix Date for Congressional Convention.

Wabash, Ind., March 4.—Fourteen ballots were needed at the eleventh district Republican committee meeting here Thursday to settle the time for holding the congressional convention. Major Steele of Marion was determined upon at an early convention and was supposed to have a majority of the committee with him, but the other three candidates doubled up and forced a compromise, May 19 being decided upon. Logansport was the only bidder for the convention and was unanimously chosen.

May Call an Extra Session.

Lansing, Mich., March 4.—Talk of an extra legislative session has been rampant in Michigan by spells for several months. Gov. Pingree wants to call the legislature together to enact anti-railroad legislation, insisting that the railroads ought to pay more taxes, but most of his advisers frown upon the scheme. Several conferences have been held recently upon the subject, but no decision has been reached. The opinion prevails that the extra session will soon be called.

Germany Will Not Let Go.

Berlin, March 4.—The semi-official North German Gazette says the following passage occurred in the speech which Emperor William delivered Tuesday last at Wilhelmshaven upon the occasion of swearing in the naval recruits there: "Where the German eagle has seized hold and fixed its claws, that country is German, and will remain German."

Iowa Coal Miners Meet.

Oskaloosa, Iowa, March 4.—The state meeting of the Iowa coal miners was held here Thursday. J. W. Reynolds of Beacon presided. Strong efforts are being made to complete the organization in every mining camp in the state. It is claimed that 3,887 miners are represented in this convention by delegates.

Dr. Jennie Taylor Gordon Dead.

Alameda, Cal., March 4.—Bishop William Taylor, of the Methodist church, has received news of the death of his niece, Dr. Jennie Taylor Gordon, who was known to all interested in foreign missions as Dr. Jennie. She expired at Malange, Angola, Dec. 29. Her husband is an African missionary and her parents reside at Mechanicsburg, Pa. She was noted for her medical skill.

Sympathy for Sigbee.

Havana, March 4.—Captain Sigbee has received a letter written by General Jacinto Hernandez expressing sympathy for the loss of his ship and crew. General Hernandez feared to address Captain Sigbee personally, as it might be misunderstood, so he addressed his letter to an American who is in the field with Gomez. The letter was then forwarded to this city.

Brakeman Killed in a Wreck.

Milwaukee, Wis., March 4.—An accident occurred on the Wisconsin Central railroad at Franklin Park, Ill., at midnight Wednesday night. Two Waukegan men were in the wreck, and as far as known were the only ones who received injuries. David Jennings, a brakeman, was killed, and William Painter, a fireman, severely injured.

Senators Reject Hanna's Man.

Washington, March 3.—The senate committee on commerce decided by unanimous vote to report adversely the nomination of Henry Demas to be naval officer at New Orleans.

Buy five or ten dozen of these 8 cent oranges while you can; they won't last long. Sanborn.

CANADIANS GRAB TERRITORY.

Custom House Established by Their Officers at Crater Lake—Skaguay Death Rate Averages Fifteen Daily—Gold Dust Could Not Keep Off Death.

Victoria, B. C., March 4.—Passengers on the steamer Islander, which reached here late last night from Skaguay, confirm the report that the Canadian flag has been raised at Summit Lake, also that the Canadians will establish a custom house at Crater Lake.

Martial law has been declared at Skaguay, and the United States troops who went up on the Queen are enforcing law.

The attempt to float the steamer Corona has so far been a failure.

The death rate at Skaguay averages 15 daily, one of the latest victims being the postmaster.

The Bodies in the Clara Nevada.

Seattle, Wash., March 4.—A letter has been received by the owners of the ill-fated steamer Clara Nevada, from Sanderson Reed of Portland, who was sent north to search for the body of his friend, Purser George Foster Peck, and for the bodies of other members of the crew and passengers. Reed says in his letter that he has visited the scene of the wreck in the steamer Rustler, and has made a careful examination. Most of the bodies of those who went down with the vessel will be found near the wreck, he thinks. Divers will be sent north to search for them.

Children and adults tortured by burns, scalds, injuries, eczema or skin diseases may secure instant relief by using De Witt's Witch Hazel Salve. It is the great Pile remedy. People's Drug Co.

Storm Bothers the Divers.

Havana, March 4.—The operations of the divers were interrupted by a heavy thunderstorm on Thursday. Senator Proctor may leave Havana Saturday for home, though the time of his departure is not decided. Should he remain here until Wednesday he will probably take a trip into the province of Pinar del Rio with Superintendent Elwell of the Red Cross society. The United States light house tender Mangrove and the naval court of inquiry into the loss of the battleship Maine arrived here today.

Long Enters a Denial.

Washington, March 4.—Secretary Long today authorized an absolute and positive denial of a report asserting that a partial or preliminary report had been received by the government from the Maine inquiry board indicating or declaring that the loss of the Maine was due to an external explosion. He said that no report of any kind had been received and that the public had all the information that had been received.

Ready to Occupy Wei-Hai Wei.

Shanghai, March 4.—The China Gazette says Great Britain will occupy Wei-Hai-Wei in the event of Japan withdrawing from that port.

Fifty Deaths Daily.

Bombay, March 4.—An epidemic of "black lister" has broken out in the state of Hyderabad. Fifty deaths are occurring daily.

A PECULIAR FACT.

Thousands of People Have Dyspepsia in Its Worst Form and Do Not Know It.

A weak stomach is the cause of about nine-tenths of all diseases, yet in most cases the wrong thing is treated and the true cause overlooked.

This is because a weak digestion produces symptoms resembling nearly every disease because it weakens and disturbs the action of every nerve and organ in the body; poor digestion causes heart trouble, kidney troubles, lung weakness, and especially nervous breakdown or nervous prostration, the nerves cannot stand the wear and tear unless generously fed by well digested, wholesome food.

Keep the digestion good and no one need fear the approach of disease.

Mrs. B. F. Lee, of Rochester, N. Y., writes: "For the sake of suffering humanity I want to say that from a child I had a very weak stomach, threw up my food very often after eating and after a few years nervous dyspepsia resulted and for more than twenty years I have suffered inexpressibly."

I tried many physicians and advertised remedies with only temporary relief for nervous dyspepsia and not until I commenced taking Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets last September, six months ago, have I been free from suffering caused by the condition of my nerves and stomach; in short, chronic nervous dyspepsia.

I have recommended Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets to many of my friends and now I want in a public way to say they are the safest, pleasantest and I believe surest cure for stomach and nerve troubles. I write my honest opinion and I will gladly answer any letter of inquiry at any time and feel that I am, in a small way, helping on a good cause.

Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets is not a patent medicine, but they contain only the fruit salts, digestive acids and pepsines necessary to help the weak stomach to promptly and thoroughly digest food.

All druggists sell Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets at 50 cents for full sized package and anyone suffering from nervous dyspepsia, sour stomach, headaches, acidity, gases, belching, etc., will find them not only a quick relief but a radical cure.

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Half Price Remnant Sale.

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On the above day we will offer at exactly one-half the regular price, every short end and remnant in our store, of Dress Goods, Velvets, White Goods, Cambrics, Organdies, Lawns, Shirtings, Gingham, Laces, Embroideries, Passementries, Dress Trimmings, Silesias, and all kinds of Dress Linings.

Remnants of \$1.00 goods go at 50c.
Remnants of 50c goods go at 25c.
Remnants of 25c goods go at 12½c.
Remnants of 10c goods go at 5c.

We expect to lose several hundred dollars on this sale, but we propose to clean out our odds and ends. We don't want to keep remnants, and at this price you can use them to advantage.

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STATE OF WISCONSIN—COUNTY OF ROCK—SS—Ju-ice Court, City of Janesville—Before M. P. Richardson, Justice of the Peace.
To C. T. Loring, doing business as Janesville Electric Light & Power Co., defendant.
You are hereby notified that a warrant of attachment has been issued against you and your property attached to satisfy the demand of Shelby Electric Co., amounting to \$8.
Now, unless you shall appear before M. P. Richardson, a Justice of the Peace, in and for said county, at his office in said city, on the 24th day of March, A. D. 1898, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, judgment will be rendered against you and your property sold to pay the debt.
Dated this 4th day of March, 1898.
SHELBY ELECTRIC CO., Plaintiff,
S. L. Sheldon, Plaintiff's Attorney.

Warned By Smell of Smoke

The many fires of late have made people think about their insurance—the companies in which it is written, and the amount covered. The good business man does not forget that his property may go next, if he does not expose himself to a crippling loss.

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STATE OF WISCONSIN—CIRCUIT COURT FOR ROCK COUNTY—In the matter of George H. Barrus, by whom a petition for a discharge from his debts, under Chapter 173, of the Revised Statutes was filed on the 10th day of December, A. D. 1897.

To Whom It May Concern:—In pursuance of an order made by the Honorable John R. Bennett, circuit judge of said court, dated the 10th day of December, 1897, all creditors of the above named George H. Barrus are required to show cause, if any they have, before the judge of the circuit court for Rock county, Wisconsin, at the court house in the city of Janesville, county of Rock and state of Wisconsin on the 25th day of February, 1898, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as said matter can be heard, why the said George H. Barrus should not be adjudged to be an insolvent debtor within the purview of said Chapter 173 of the Revised Statutes of the state of Wisconsin, and why an assignment of the estate of the said George H. Barrus should not be made, and why such insolvent debtor George H. Barrus should not be discharged from his debts, and why such other and further order or orders and judgments should not be made in the matter as shall be just and equitable in the premises.

Dated, this 10th day of December, 1897.
FETHERS, JEFFERS, FIFEELD & MOUNT, Attorneys for Petitioner.

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Jackson & Jackson, Attorneys

STATE OF WISCONSIN—IN CIRCUIT COURT FOR ROCK COUNTY—Albert Schaller and Geo. M. McKee, plaintiffs; vs. Cynthia W. Dudley and E. H. Dudley, defendants.

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to a judgment and order of the said Court in the above entitled action, made and entered on the 21st day of February, 1898, I will offer for sale at public auction, at the east door of the post office building, in the city of Janesville, Rock County, Wisconsin, on the 12th day of April, 1898, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, all the right, title and interest which the said defendant, Cynthia W. Dudley, had in and to the premises hereinafter described, on the 11th day of August, 1897, or which the said defendant, Cynthia W. Dudley, or any and all persons claiming under her, have since acquired therein, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy the amount adjudged due to the plaintiffs in said action, together with the costs thereof, which premises are situated in the county of Rock and state of Wisconsin, are described as follows, to-wit:

A certain piece or parcel of land in the south half of the south-west quarter of section number thirteen (13), town three (3), north of range twelve (12), east of the fourth principal meridian, to-wit: Beginning on the south side of said quarter at a point fifty-four (54) links, west of the south-east corner thereof; thence north eighty-eight (88) degrees and ten (10) minutes, west, twenty-four and forty-six one-hundredths (24.46) chains; thence north twenty-one (21) minutes, west along the east line of stone quarry nine and ninety three one-hundredths (9.93) chains; thence north forty-five (45) degrees, west along the north-east side of stone quarry lot, two and thirteen one-hundredths (2.13) chains, to center of highway; thence north along center of said highway four and seventy-nine one and one-half one-hundredths (4.796) chains; thence south eighty-eight (88) degrees, ten (10) minutes, east, twenty-five and one half one-hundredths (25.15) chains; thence south parallel to east line of said south-west quarter sixteen and thirteen one-hundredths (16.13) chains, to place of beginning.

Dated Feb. 23rd, 1898.
THEO. L. ACHESON,
Sheriff for Rock County Wisconsin.

JACKSON & JACKSON, Attorneys,

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Fethers, Jeffers, Fifeeld & Mount, Att'ns.

STATE OF WISCONSIN. ROCK COUNTY.

City of Janesville—ss.
To Janesville Electric Light & Power Company:

You are hereby notified that a warrant of attachment has been issued against you and your property attached to satisfy the demand of Hobart Electric Manufacturing Company, amounting to the sum of \$15.69.

And you are hereby notified that a warrant of attachment and garnishment has been issued against you and your property garnished to satisfy the demand of Hobart Electric Manufacturing Company, amounting to the sum of \$15.69.

Now, unless you shall appear before M. P. Richardson, a Justice of the Peace, in and for said county, at his office in the city of Janesville on the 24th day of March, A. D. 1898, at nine (9) o'clock in the forenoon, judgment will be rendered against you and your property sold to pay the debt.—Dated this 3d day of March, 1898.

HOBART ELECTRIC MANUFACTURING COMPANY,

Attorneys for Plaintiffs.

FETHERS, JEFFERS, FIFEELD & MOUNT

Attorneys for Plaintiffs.

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THIS DAY IN HISTORY

1749—Count Casimir Pulaski, American Revolutionary soldier, born in Podolia, Poland; died of battle wounds, near Savannah, 1779. Count Pulaski was the son of a Polish patriot. Exiled in 1772 he settled in America and entered the patriot army. It was for his legion of horsemen that NOAH PORTER, the Moravian woman of Bethlehem, Pa., embroidered a banner.
1863—Thomas Starr King, Unitarian preacher and most eloquent man of his time, died in San Francisco; born 1824.
1868—Alexander H. Stephens, vice president of the Confederacy, died at Atlanta; born 1812.
1892—Noah Porter, educator and ex-president of Yale college, died at New Haven; born in Farmington, Conn., 1811.
1896—Rev. Daniel Vrooman, a pioneer missionary in China, died in San Francisco; born 1817.
1896—Professor John Kraus, a pioneer in kindergarten work, died in New York city; born 1815. Dr. Hiram Corson, a specialist and writer on medical treatment, died at Plymouth Meeting, Pa.; born 1804.

PRAISES PRESIDENT MCKINLEY.

The New York Times has been quick to seize every opportunity to criticize anything done by a republican, but in the present emergency The Times rises above partisan considerations and commends President McKinley in the following language:

"No Latin race, we imagine, would have kept its head as well as the American people have kept theirs during the disturbing events of the past two weeks. In Spain or France or Italy there would have been tumultuous assemblies, much outcry in the streets and incitements to riot. Outside of the reckless newspapers there has been no raving here. But the president has furnished the most conspicuous instance of sanity and wisdom. His perfect calmness has not been for a moment disturbed. His judgment has been faultless. He has made no mistake. Mr. McKinley has shown no desire to make personal or political capital out of the grave matters with which he has had to deal. He has done no posing. He has not invited the attention of the nation, but has performed his high duties with as little fuss and ostentation as he would have exhibited in labors of the duller routine. Such a president is the despair of jingoes, but he inspires the country with a feeling of confidence."

The Times voices the sentiment of the thinking people. Papers of the Chicago Chronicle's stripe may rail at the president because he does not perform to suit them, but honest democratic papers—the ones that can forget party in the cause of American welfare—give him the staunch support that every good citizen owes the government when trouble impends.

AMERICAN RESIDENTS PROTEST.

The lie is given the yellow New York papers by the American residents of Havana. At a meeting recently held emphatic resolutions condemning the sensational reports which are being sent to certain New York papers were adopted. They deny that Americans are insulted on the streets, and assert that, on the contrary, every citizen of the United States is treated with respect. But the yellow papers will pay no attention to the resolutions. The owner of the largest and yellowest is said to have made a bet that his paper could force Spain and the United States to go to war. That is why he telegraphed his Havana correspondent "d—n the truth, send us something that will sell the paper!" This New York paper also sells its news to other papers, and Janesville people read it in a Chicago paper that also wants to see a war. Such papers, however, will find it a harder job to tamper the people than they imagine, for the average citizen can very readily discriminate between the ring of truth and the clang of lies.

RELIGIOUS CRANK "TURNED DOWN"

The great American crank is now in his glory and bobs up all over the country. They do not always come out as they expect, however, as is shown in the case of a Catholic priest at Rondout, New York, who made the statement that if war should break out between Spain and the United States all Catholics should fight for Spain. Half his congregation had left his church before he finished speaking, and twenty-four hours afterwards he had been removed from his pastorate at the unanimous request of his parishioners.

The Chicago Tribune says "war now exists; it was declared when the Spaniards blew up the Maine." The Tribune would appear to need a guardian, and it is suggested that Governor Tanner would be a good man for the place.

The manufacturers of boat oars have formed a trust. There is no indication that the organization will break up in a row, but, on the other hand, smooth sailing is assured if the members will pull together.

The former chief of police at Muskegon, Mich., was caught in Chicago suspiciously near a piece of lead pipe

encased in flannel, and as the former policeman had once been convicted of burglary, the general supposition is that he was using the lead pipe in the usual Chicago way.

The Milwaukee Journal exults over the statement that "Milwaukee is a poor place to die in" evidently all unkindful of the old saying concerning the time of the taking off of the truly good.

The Milwaukee Sentinel is to be commended. The Sentinel has not found it necessary to print "news" from the Key West factory, but has given its readers only what it could vouch for.

The Fond du Lac Commonwealth says: "Milwaukee is in the same municipal boat with Fond du Lac. It is discussing the question of how to improve its common council."

President McKinley's course is being commended on all sides, but nothing less than a torpedo will bring Billy Mason back into prominence even for one fleeting moment.

While Boss Croker is about to return to England the fact remains that the other croakers, like the poor, "will be with us always."

The wheeling fever has reached China, and Shanghai women are frequently seen on bikes.

As John Adams said, "Great is the guilt of unnecessary war."

No Hope, If She Thought.
"Ya-as," he said, "I awksed Miss Sharpe to be my wife, y' know, and I gave her a week to think it over."
"That settles your case."—Chicago Post.

He Was Only a Chump.
He (apologetically)—I suppose you think I'm a regular bear?
She (bravely)—No, I don't. Bears are said to hug—at least, sometimes.—Yonkers Statesman.

Modus Operandi.
"I met your friend, Spongely, this morning."
"How did he strike you?"
"Said he had left his change at home in his other trousers."—N. Y. World.

A Celestial Chestnut.
Auntie—Come here, Freddy, and look at the new moon.
Freddy—Oh! I've seen lots of moons like that before.—Puck.

It Certainly Isn't.
"Half the world doesn't know how the other half lives."
"Well, I don't know as it is any of their business."—Town Topics.

BOARDING.

CHOICE room with board; steam heat; bath 106 Center street, two doors from Jackson.

LOST AND FOUND.

FOUND—Gentleman's ring. Owner can have same by calling at this office and paying for this notice.

WANTED

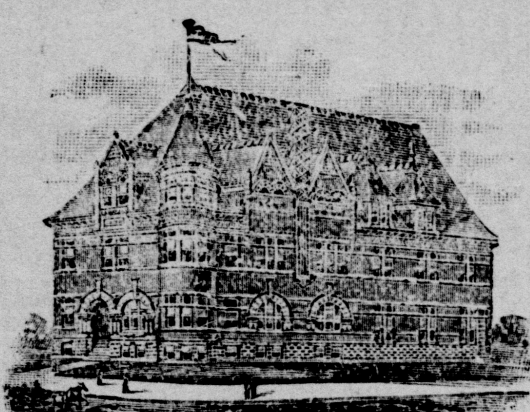
WANTED—Agents to sell Murat Halestead's Great Cuba book; all about Cuba, Spain and War; great excitement; everyone buys it; one agent sold 27 in one day; another made \$15 in one hour; 600 pages; magnificent illustrations; photographs, etc.; low price; we guarantee most liberal terms; freight paid; 20 days' credit; outfit free; send 5 two-cent stamps to pay postage. Bible House, 324 Dearborn St., Chicago.

WANTED—Young man to work in office. Must have fair education and be a good penman. Give references, state wages wanted, and address in own handwriting. Clerk, care Gazette.

WANTED—By young man attending our school, place to work mornings, evenings, and Saturdays, for his board. Is thoroughly reliable and a willing worker. Valentine's School of Telegraphy, Janesville.

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—5 show cases 6 foot, 2 ditto 8 foot, 1 ditto 12 foot, 1 glass front counter 6 foot, all bargains. Enquire at Helmstreet's drug store.



Y. M. C. A. Lecture Course.

The association is anxious to utilize the auditorium and give young men good evening entertainment. We ask all citizens to hand in their names for tickets at the building or give them to the canvassers. The entire course 50c to members; \$1.00 to non-members.

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I am better prepared than ever to make you to order a spring suit or overcoat. I guarantee my work, and save you money.

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Your tailor, 2 South Jackson St.

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Corner Western and Center Aves. Will make the following prices: New steel tire, \$3.00 a set. New buggy wheels, with tire complete 9.50.

Lumber wagon truck tire, \$5.00 New Plow Shares, best; 14 inch \$3.00; 16 inch, 3.50.

WOODWORK... done by M. E. Mott, one of the best woodworkers in the city.

Buggy rims, \$4.00. Shafts, each \$1.00.

Axles, best kind, \$1.50 up. All other work in proportion.

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AFTER DOCTORS FAILED.

Here you have the evidence right at home from one of your own citizens.

"I wish I had a voice which could be heard throughout the length and breadth of this continent, that I might speak to the army of sufferers who are being tortured by the disease with which I have been afflicted for years. I have been an intense sufferer for several years and everyone who has had that disease knows the extreme agony I must have endured. I chafe, burn, scratch, dig and lose of sleep has been my deplorable condition. Four of our best physicians had exhausted their energies on my case, without even giving me relief. Oh, what a godsend to me when one of our druggists called my attention to that wonderful remedy, Septicide, and assured me that it would do what skillful hands had completely failed in doing. Suffice it to say that two bottles cured me completely, so there is no return of this dreadful complaint."

N. FARNHAM,

For sale by People's Drug Co., W. E. Evenson, Mgr., Cor. Main and Milwaukee St.

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...FREE...

All ladies interested in Art Embroidery and who visited our exhibit, are respectfully requested to send name and address to us and receive in return a useful present free.

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To Harness Buyers.

I can convince you of the benefit of buying your Spring Harness at my store, if you will come in and talk.

Large line of hand made (every stitch warranted) Harness, for light fancy driving, or the heavier work, single or double.

My \$10.00 Single Harness is strictly hand made Davis rubber or nickel trimmings. Best of leather. Worth the money every time. Repairing promptly done.

Pure Neatsfoot Oil, 75c a gallon.

JAS. SELKIRK.

15 S. Main Street. Janesville.

Window Shades...

We have just received a new supply of Window Shades which we will make the same low prices on as usual although we had to pay more for this lot as the price is advancing.

We can give you excellent Stockings...

For little money.

We have a good assortment of Handkerchiefs...

From 3 to 50 cents that can't be beat.

If you need a

Lamp...

We can please you in style and price as we must reduce our stock of them.

There is still some China and Crockery...

To go at cost.

THE FAIR.

Mammoth Orange Sale AT SANBORN'S.

25 Cases of Choice Oranges.

To be sold the balance of the week at the unheard of low price

8c per dozen! THINK OF IT!

Fancy Oranges, 8c dozen. Cheaper than stealing them. The cheapest and nicest table sauce to be had, sliced Oranges at 8c dozen. Have Oranges for breakfast at 8c. Have Oranges for dinner at 8c. Have Oranges for supper at 8c. Eat Oranges in the evening. Have them on the sideboard. Treat your friends to them. You can afford them at 8c dozen. You can get 5½ dozen Oranges at 8c dozen for the price of 1 dozen at the usual high prices. These Oranges are of nice color and are much cheaper for eating purposes than apples. We have 25 cases of them and

Will Close Them All Out Before Saturday Night.

Buy all you want for a week or two ahead or you will be late and sorry for it, too.

Preparations for Friday, Fish Day.

Our weekly orders of Fresh Fish are larger and of greater variety at this season of the year than ever. We received a large order today and will have more tomorrow.

Oysters!

Direct from the shuckers' hands, fresh, twice weekly. Large as selects, and all Oyster. The only Oyster refrigerator in the city.



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CELEBRATED THE SILVER JUBILEE

SISTERS OF MERCY OBSERVE AN ANNIVERSARY.

Twenty-fifth Millstone in the Life of the Institution—Visiting Priests Participate—An Interesting Program of Exercises Was Carried Out

The celebrating of mass at 7 o'clock this morning in the little chapel at St. Joseph's Convent of Mercy marked the opening exercises for the silver jubilee or twenty-fifth anniversary of the establishment of St. Joseph's Convent of Mercy in this city. The chapel itself presented an inspiring and beautiful appearance and the entire scene was one of splendor. Dean E. M. McGinnity, who is the spiritual adviser of the Sisters, conducted the mass in his usual pleasing way and delivered a beautiful and impressive sermon. Rev. Father O'Keefe, president of the College of the Sacred Heart, at Watertown; Rev. Father Harlin, of Edgerton and Rev. Father Collins, of this city, assisted in the exercises.

Great Interest Shown

At an early hour this morning all was stir within the Convent of Mercy. For several days past the Sisters have been making preparations for the event of today, and that they carried through every detail without one hitch in the proceedings was the opinion of all who participated. Sisters who formerly resided here, and who have of late been located in Whitewater, were present at the celebration.

The details of the removal of the Sisters to this city from Davenport, Ia., twenty-seven years ago and the good work they have carried on here had already been given to the readers of The Gazette.

At 3:30 o'clock this afternoon a literary and musical program was carried out in faultless style, each and every number being a feature by itself.

An Interesting Program.

The program this afternoon was as follows:

March.....Mandolin, Guitar and Violin
Address to Rev. Mother and Mother Joseph
Miss Marie McLernan.
Drama....."A Vision of Angels," Scene I
Interlude.....
Drama.....Scene II
Instrumental Duet....."Igora Polka"
Miss Gertrude Casey and William McCue.
Recitation....."Little Christell"
Vocal Selection....."Kerry Dance"
Kittie Dolan, Kittie Joyce, Lizzie Collins.
Dialogue....."A Visit From Mercy and Charity"
Mary Luby, Marie McLernan, Kittie Dolan and Beatrice Caldwell.
Interlude.....
Instrumental Duet....."The Bohemian Girl"
Miss Gertrude Casey and William McCue.
Recitation....."Little Jerry"
Miss Anna Luby.
Song....."If the Waters Could Speak As They Flow"
School.
Apostrophe of Mercy.....
Sadie Joyce, Rose McLernan, Martha Kniss, Maggie Dolan, Genevieve Barron.
Interlude....."Jubilant Deo"
School.

Once When She Failed.

"Mrs. Gobang was a woman who always insisted on having the last word."
"Her husband beat her just once."
"How was that?"
"He lived longer than she did."—N. Y. Journal.

Something He Will Remember.
Fond Mother—I want to get something for my little boy of eight—something he will remember me by.
Floor Walker—Ah, yes! Here, cash! Show this lady to the slipper counter—Browning, King & Co.'s Monthly.

Unpickable.
"Ah, yes!" sighed Freddy,
"My Nellie's a peach."
But she's just a little
Beyond my reach!"
—Chicago Tribune.

NOT VERY PLEASANT.



Hostess—I'm afraid we are going to be a very small party to-night. The fog seems to have kept away all our best people.—London Punch.

Her Sentiments.
His art has all that's grand and free
And fine pertaining to it;
But oh! it has my sympathy,
Since he is wedded to it!
—N. Y. Evening Journal.

Sensible Persons.
"Does your husband worry about the grocery bills?" asked the thin-faced lady.
"Why, no!" said the lady with the silk skirt and patent shoes. "We let the grocer do all that."—Tit-Bits.

Adds Insult to Injury.
Mrs. Rambo (next morning)—Absalom, do you know you tried to go to bed last night with your boots on?
Mr. Rambo (applying more ice to his head)—I was trying to protect myself from your cold feet.—Chicago Tribune.

Comes High.
First Heiress—I don't see why they refer to a prince as his highness.
Second Heiress (who married one)—I guess your father never had to put up the price for him.—Brooklyn Life.

NEWS HEARD ABOUT THE CITY

STETSON hats at Zeigler's.
WHITE is a 'hug of bean'y.
FINE lots of apples at Spivak's.
WHITE will afford much pleasure.
REMNANTS tomorrow at half prices.
Bort, Bailey & Co.

SPENCER'S 'Newest' shoe store is catching the people these days.
HALF price sale of remnant goods Saturday at Bort, Bailey & Co.

FANCY celery, lettuce, onions and radishes tomorrow at Spivak's.

FANCY fresh lettuce, celery, and radishes for Saturday at Sanborn's.

ELLMAN's Saturday special candy sale worth looking up on this page.

BUY remnants of dress goods at half price tomorrow at Bort, Bailey & Co's.

BUY remnants of dress linings at half price tomorrow at Bort, Bailey & Co's.

TIME to lay aside the old hats, men. Zeigler's spring styles Stetson hats are here.

OAR load of Jennison Bros's, very 'Best' patent flour just in at Sanborn's.

ORANGES for everybody. Twenty cases of them, only 8 cents a dozen. Sanborn's.

HOARHOUND candy for your cough. Our own make, only 20 cents a pound at Spivak's.

SPRING styles in soft and stiff hats of the Stetson make at Zeigler's. See large ad page 8.

BUY remnants of suiting flannels and shirting at half price tomorrow at Bort, Bailey & Co's.

GRAND opening of the Janesville Music Co., opposite postoffice, Saturday Music all day; souvenirs.

LADIES can find many pretty things at half prices tomorrow during the remnant sale. Bort, Bailey & Co.

ATTEND the opening of the Janesville Music Co. opposite the postoffice tomorrow, and get a free souvenir.

We will sell you an all linen crash for 5 cents a yard, a regular 8 cent quality. Bort, Bailey & Co.

SPENCER'S 'newest' shoe store on the bridge is a beauty. See the new spring styles in the window.

THE new shoes for spring are all pretty, especially those at Spencer's 'Newest' shoe store on the bridge.

OUR line of spring dress goods is now complete, and we have many rare bargains to offer you. Bort, Bailey & Co.

We save you at least 25 per cent. on muslin underwear at our special sale March 8, 9, and 10th. Bort, Bailey & Co.

THE shoes in Spencer's 'Newest' shoe store, on the bridge, are in keeping with the rest of the store—as good as money can buy.

HOUSEWIVES are interested in Thompson's grocery talks. See his ad page 8 tonight. All the Boston Ideal doughnuts you want 7 cents a dozen.

If you haven't already visited the 'newest' shoe store on the bridge, Holmes' former stand, do so now. It is not necessary to buy unless you wish to.

TABLE linen, towels, napking and bedspreads are moving rapidly at our special sale of winter goods, which continues until March 15. T. P. Burns.

THERE are many medium weight jackets among our assortment that can be worn all spring and are included in our one-fourth price sale. T. P. Burns.

OUR gingham, cambric and thin wash dress goods stock is full to overflowing of the newest and prettiest styles, and the prices are right, too. Bort, Bailey & Co.

TRY our new kind of candy 'Klor' dika Nuggets; it's very fine and you will say so when you eat that you introduce to the trade only 20 cents a pound tomorrow. J. Spivak.

REMEMBER you get just as nice goods at one-half price, remnant sale, as at any time, and the assortment is as good; the prices are cut in half. The sale takes place tomorrow. Bort, Bailey & Co.

LADIES can find many nice things in dress goods for spring use at our remnant sale next Saturday. Everything goes at half usual price. Large ad on another page tells more about it. Bort, Bailey & Co.

THE snow is fast disappearing from the streets. A few more days of melting weather will enable citizens to walk upon terra firma once more and relieve the city fathers from apprehensions of future damage suits.

PLENTY of interesting things in those remnants we place on sale Saturday at half price. We expect to lose several hundred dollars on the sale, but we propose to clean up all odds and ends. See our large ad on another page tonight. Bort, Bailey & Co.

SEVERAL show-cases are needed for exhibits at the Midwinter fair this week. People who have cases that can be spared will confer a favor on the fair committee by allowing them the use of same. The committee will be responsible for them. Leave word with Fred S. Sheldon at A. H. Sheldon & Co.

THE Somers correspondent of the Racine Journal says: "George Kellogg, of Janesville, Wis., visited with friends and relatives over Sunday. He is one of the leading nurserymen in the southern part of the state, and has always taken a marked interest in the horticultural society of which he is a member. Mr. Kellogg has been traveling through Wisconsin and Minnesota the past winter attending conventions."

GOT BALM FOR A BROKEN HEART

GERTIE TAUROG RECEIVES A \$1,000 PLASTER.

Her Conquest of the Love of Lovis Udelowich Was But Temporary—He Popped the Question for a Chicago Park—A Settlement Effected.

Judge John R. Bennett, during his many years of service in Rock and Green county courts, has seldom presided over a more interesting breach of promise suit than that which occupied his attention in the Green county court at Monroe, yesterday.

The case was that of Gertie Taurog vs. Louis Udelowich, the plaintiff suing for \$10,000. After an all day wrangle in the court the case came to a settlement between the interested parties themselves, the plaintiff taking \$1,000 as final judgment.

An Engagement Admitted.

The engagement conceded by the defense, and all the circumstances surrounding the meeting and the few weeks of courtship that led up to the promise to marry undisputed and agreed upon between the plaintiff and the defense, the case had resolved itself into one conversation at the home of the mother of the defendant, and in respect to what took place at that time there was a flat contradiction in the testimony of the two parties.

Miss Taurog was the first witness called. She stated that she was twenty years of age on September 1, 1897. She was born in Russia. Her mother died when she was but two years of age. Three years ago she came to America and made her home with her brother-in-law, Simon Schult, at 290 West Lake street, Chicago. She met the defendant in June, 1897, at her home. He came there with his mother and a lady who was a friend to the plaintiff's sister. His mother was there once before to see the plaintiff and it was understood that the object of the visit was to make a match between the girl and her son, the defendant in this case.

Proposed in a Park

On the Monday evening following, Aug. 15, he brought her a box of candy and they spent the evening until 11 o'clock at Union park, and it was there that he made the proposal of marriage which was accepted by her. Arrangements were at once made for an engagement party, it being in accordance with the wishes of the relatives that there should be one. Sunday evening, Aug. 22, was the date agreed upon for the party, and relatives and friends to the number of twenty-eight were invited. The full Jewish ceremony was carried out. They had supper, danced, sang and all was as merry as could be. The young lady was presented with a watch and charm by the parents of the defendant, and he gave her a diamond ring. The engagement contracts were signed and each party was given one.

Love's Dream Ended.

One night soon after the engagement was announced the groom-to-be called on the bride-to-be and told her that he did not think they could live happily together, that he had loved her and his folks had liked her, but his mother was sick on account of her crooked thumbs, and she wanted the engagement broken. The suit then followed, the last and final chapter of which was enacted before Judge Bennett, yesterday afternoon.

Why She Trembled.

Nellie—What makes you so nervous, Jennie?
Jennie—I am all in a tremble. Mr. Bondelipper is going to ask papa for my hand this afternoon.

Nellie—Are you afraid that your papa will refuse?
Jennie—No; I am afraid Mr. Bondelipper will not show up.—N. Y. World.

His Views.

First Burglar—If I had some more money, I think I'd go into politics.
Second Burglar—There's more money in politics than there is in our line.

First Burglar—Not only that, but I notice when a man is in politics it's easier for him to keep out of jail.—Brooklyn Life.

Comparatively Honest.

Miss Sharp—Before I gave you that pie you said my sidewalk needed shoveling.
Hungry Hoby—Yes, lady; I reiterate my statement—it daz need shuevelin'. An' ef I wuz you I'd kuz me shuevelin' fer some laborer an' giv him de job. Morning', lady.—Judge.

His Generous Sister.

"Where did you get that cake, Annie?"
"Mother gave it to me."
"She's always a-giving you more'n she does me."

"Never mind, Harry; she's going to put mustard plasters on us to-night, and I'll ask her to let you have the biggest."—Pittsburgh Bulletin.

Woman's Vanity.

Maud—Why has Lillian given up wearing rational costume? Did George object?
Ethel—Oh, no; he said he approved of it, because it would prevent her attracting any other man's admiration.—Boston Traveler.

Isolated Case.

"I don't say all women are alike," remarked Mr. Meekton, with a sigh, "but Elizabeth hasn't changed much. Before we were married she was what they called a 'willow' sort of girl. She is now a pronounced I-will-ow sort of a woman."—Chicago Tribune.

NEWS OF A PERSONAL NATURE

D. F. SATRE spent this day in Beloit.

T. J. SALSMAN was here today from a trip on the road.

H. F. NOTT spent the day in Evansville talking pianos.

J. G. DeLONG will spend tomorrow in Chicago on business.

ATTORNEYS William Smith and U. E. Pierce had legal business today at Monroe.

JAMES E. BLACK, of Chicago, was here today to attend the funeral of the late M. J. Broderick.

H. W. CHILD, R. J. Maltress, F. W. Ooon, and L. H. Towne, of Edgerton, spent the day in town.

Mrs. W. C. Orolus, of Rockford, who has been here visiting her husband, has returned home.

Mrs. D. BENNETT, of Chicago, is in town, called here by the illness of her husband, who is now at Oak Lawn hospital.

THE SECOND VESTIBULE

Another Palace Train Passes Through the City to St. Paul.

Last night the second of the new vestibule trains on the Chicago & Northwestern road passed through this city for St. Paul. It was in every respect equal in equipment to its forerunner of the previous evening and it excited the most unqualified admiration of a large crowd assembled to witness its passage. The train had a full complement of through passengers, who expressed their delight in having the privilege of traveling amid such luxurious surroundings.

The two palace vestibules will alternate their trips between Chicago and St. Paul, and if they do not become all the rage with the traveling public it will not be the fault of the company, which has spared no expense in their furnishing and equipment.

MISS GARDINER SURPRISED

Visited Unexpectedly By a Host of Her Many Friends.

A pleasant surprise party was perpetrated on Miss Mary Gardiner last evening at the Bager avenue home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Gardiner. Refreshments were furnished, and the hours of the evening passed away only too soon. Those present were:

Misses—Mabel Lee, Mabel Glen, Allie Evans, Allie Bliss, Inez Arnold, Pearl Willey, Allie Bliss, Percy Munger, Edward Timmons, Len Matthews, Percy Karnie.

TELEPHONE LINE COMPLETED

New Metallic Circuit to Beloit Finished Yesterday.

The new metallic line erected by the Wisconsin Telephone company between this city and Beloit was completed yesterday and the first messages were transmitted today. The entire line has been built at a large cost as the work has taken several days to complete. The object in erecting this new steel line was to give this city more direct telephone communication with Beloit and also to relieve the present copper metallic line which runs via Beloit and which will be used more for direct Chicago business.

ADD TO THE MEMBERSHIP

Sixteen New Names Added to the Y. M. C. A. Roll.

During the month of February, 1898, sixteen new members joined the Y. M. C. A., which, together with twenty-six renewals, makes what the canvassing committee call a good month's showing. The new members who joined are:

A. H. Wepfer, Arthur Acheson, R. H. Heiple, F. B. Granger, E. L. Colver, A. E. Jeng, E. J. Jerg, Howard Green, C. C. Bennett, Claude Cochrane, A. N. Dudley, E. E. Clemons, F. T. Lawson, S. B. Heddies, J. A. Skinner, F. A. Green.

The Grower Gets Left.

The man who grows oranges in California does not always make much of a showing so far as profit is concerned. Sanborn received thirty cases of oranges and is selling them at 8 cents per dozen, each case containing twenty-four dozen of the fruit, which brings a total of \$1.92 per case. The freight from California to Janesville on each case is \$1.20, boxing and pep r cost 40 cents, packing 26 cents, total \$1.86, leaving a profit to the grower of 6 cents a case. The commission men and Sanborn sell the goods for fun. Come in tomorrow if you expect to get any of the fruit.

Tax Notice.

Unpaid state and county taxes will be returned to the county treasurer March 15, 1898. All persons interested please take notice.

JAMES A. FATHERS, City Treasurer.

Try Spencer's 'Newest' shoe store for your spring footwear. See display window.

STATE OF WISCONSIN—ROCK COUNTY—City of Janesville—ss
I, the Janesville Electric Light & Power Company.

You are hereby notified that a warrant of attachment has been issued against you and your property attached to satisfy the demand of F. E. FIFIELD and J. S. FIFIELD, amounting to the sum of \$18.62.

Now, unless you shall appear before M. P. Richardson a justice of the peace, in and for said county, at his office in the city of Janesville on the 25th day of March, 1898, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, judgment will be rendered against you and your property sold to pay the debt.

Dated this 4th day of March, A. D. 1898.
F. E. FIFIELD and J. S. FIFIELD, Plaintiffs.
Fethers, Jeffris, Fifield & Mount, Attorneys for plaintiffs.

CAR THIEVES GET THEIR DESSERTS

COLBROOK, HESS AND CURRIER RECEIVE SENTENCE.

The First Named Goes to Waupun For a Year; the Others to Jail—Previous Good Character Pleaded on Their Behalf With Effect.

James Hess, Thomas Colbrook and Thomas Currier are a lucky trio. To the charge of burglary Colbrook pleaded guilty in the municipal court this morning, and was given one year in the state's prison at Waupun. To the charge of receiving stolen goods Hess and Currier pleaded guilty, and were sentenced to hard labor in the Rock county jail for a period of six months each. All three prisoners thanked the court after receiving sentence, and expressed themselves as well satisfied with the outcome.

A Notorious Gang.

The prisoners were charged with entering freight car No. 6982 on the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul road on the evening of January 22 last, and stealing several pairs of "iron clad plow shoes." The robbery took place in the freight yards at Beloit, and soon after the theft the men made their way to a second hand store in the Line City, where they disposed of a portion of the shoes. Before selling the shoes each man helped himself to a pair. Then they boarded a freight train for Burlington, Wis., where they engaged in a fee-for-all fight soon after their arrival which resulted in their arrest and sentence to the Racine county jail for thirty days each. George Harris, a fourth member of the gang, was given a sixty days sentence for carrying concealed weapons, and just as soon as his time is up he will be brought here for trial.

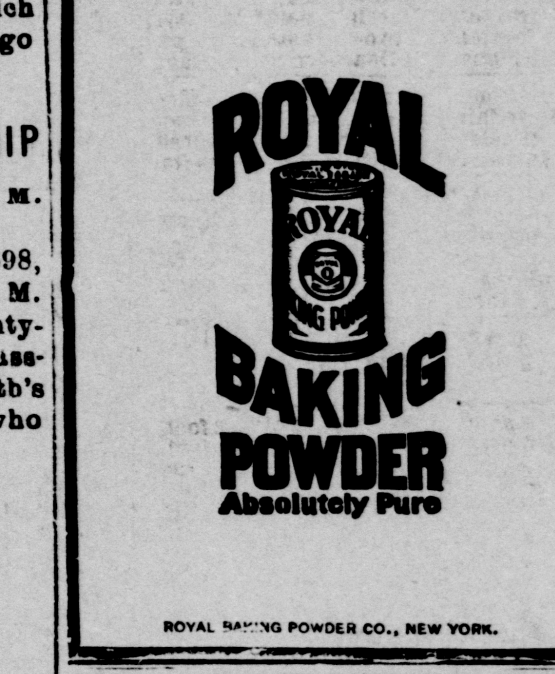
Value of a Good Name.

When the case was called this morning Colbrook was the first man to receive his sentence. District Attorney Jackson spoke well of him, and stated that from all reports he bore a good reputation. He worked as a waterman at Creston, Iowa, on the C. B. & Q. road, but of late years he had been playing in hard luck. On the way to jail he informed the officers that he had a wife and two children residing in this state. Hess stated that he and Currier were given the shoes to sell by Colbrook who said he got them near a tank in the Beloit yards.

"We never met Colbrook till we reached Beloit," said Hess to the court, "and then we all started out and drank in a neighboring saloon. When a man is hard up and under the influence of liquor there is no telling what he will do. I sold two pairs of the shoes for seventy-five cents and took the money back to the boys."

Marshal George Appleby found the first clue that led to the arrest of the men, and it was mainly through his good work that the guilty parties were brought to justice. Sheriff Acheson took Colbrook to Waupun on the noon train.

Royal makes the food pure, wholesome and delicious.



Umbrellas Direct From the Factory...

New spring line, latest styles in handles, natural twist wood, bone, etc. Steel rod, steel tipped, very nice variety.

A splendid Umbrella for \$1. Umbrella Covers from 75c to \$2, all sizes. We re-cover your Umbrella while you wait.

Beautiful new Veiling just in for spring.

Art Embroidery lessons given at our store every Thursday afternoon in any work.

HELEN SERVATIUS.

We fit all Gloves to the hand.

A Close Shave...

May be too close, especially so if the barber does not understand his business. Frey & Brennan, the barbers, 163 West Milwaukee street, can please you. Try them this week.

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Leave orders at C. D. STEVENS' Drug Store. Residence Telephone 302 for hauling Pianos, Bales, Bolders, House Furniture, Freight. Promptness, and Prices reasonable.

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In my regular Saturday Candy sale for tomorrow is included two new kinds of Candies:

Chocolate Peanuts and Fig Paste.

They are of the 40c kind. To introduce them to the trade I will sell them at

20c per lb.

Am sure you will like them. All my other stock of confections at the usual sale prices.

My supply of Fruits commencing with Bananas and ending with the rare Grapes and Pears, is complete. Enough varieties to select from at the cheapest possible prices. Also a full line of seasonable Vegetables to arrive fresh tomorrow morning.

Ask for your coupons. Am pleased to let you have them.

GEO. ELLMAN, Opposite Post Office.

EVERY DAY

This market of mine draws to it new custom. The satisfying of regular patrons, the giving of good meat—the kind that is always the same—can't help making us new, staunch friends. We never allow a custom to get away if it lies in our power to keep them. Try us this week.

G. I. ERCANBRACK. People's Meat Market. Next Opera House.

A Quick Sale

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At prices never before heard of—on Friday and Saturday—March 4th and 5th.

Real Irish Linen Royal, ruled or plain, at 19c a box.

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—strong nerves—and all the rest of the blessings of good health are attained by taking the

Wisconsin Laxative

HEALTH TEA.

IF WE SHOULD HAVE WAR.

In case of a war between the United States and Spain the island of Cuba would be freed from Spanish rule much more easily than is generally imagined. This country would not need to send a large army to the island to fight the Spaniards in the field. Neither would it need to bombard Havana nor attack it in any other way. Perhaps the war would end, as far as Cuba is concerned, without the Americans firing a single shot either by land or sea. Though these statements may at first appear astonishing, they are merely the logical conclusion to be derived from knowledge of the real state of affairs in the struggling island.

The Spaniards, with an army of 150,000 men, of which not 90,000 are regular troops, all that is left of the 200,000 soldiers sent from Spain since 1895 and decimated by battle and sickness, control only the seaports and the strongly fortified towns in the interior. The country from east to west is in the hands of the insurgents. The eastern part of the island, including Santiago de Cuba and Puerto Principe, is held by the Cuban Generals Calixto Garcia, Jesus Rabi and Lope Recio Loynaz. There the Cubans are stronger than in any other section of the island. They have in these two provinces 20,000 men at least, armed and with plenty of ammunition. There they hold the Spanish columns in constant check, and the recent defeats of General Pando in Santiago de Cuba, at the entrance of the Cauto river and of General Jimenez Castellanos at La Esperanza, almost within sight of Puerto Principe city, show conclusively what the power of the Cubans is in the east.

The central part of the island—that is to say, the province of Santa Clara—is controlled by General Maximo Gomez. The Cuban commander in chief has at least 10,000 men there under his orders, with Generals Carrillo, Montegudo, Alvarez and several others as subordinate commanders.

There are about 5,000 insurgents in the provinces of Matanzas and Havana. This is where the Cubans are weakest, the Spanish fortified towns being nearer to one another and the Spanish army more numerous. But, nevertheless, they have strength enough to keep up a very lively guerrilla warfare, raiding almost daily the most important towns and making dashing attacks on the outskirts of Havana city itself. The recent death of their plucky leader, General Aranguren, has not abated their ardor. General Betancourt, General Alejandro Rodriguez, General Rafael de Cardenas and Colonels Davalos, Collazo and others are cutting out a great deal of work every day for the Spanish and the guerrillas in Havana and Matanzas provinces.

Pinar del Rio province, the western extremity, is a Cuban stronghold. The Cubans there are as strong as in Santa Clara and hold the long and impregnable chain of mountains extending through the province. They do not allow the Spaniards to get out of their towns. Generals Delgado and Ducasi are the principal Cuban leaders in that province.

The result of this situation is that the Spaniards cannot exist on the products of the country in any part of the island. The country near the towns was laid waste by General Weyler, and the gaunt specter of famine stalks all over Cuba. The extermination of the peaceable inhabitants by hunger is going on rapidly. All these facts are too notorious to be denied at this time. The reconcentrados, or noncombatants, starve and die by thousands only because the country, on which they exclusively depend, is not producing food. The insurgents keep zones of cultivation of their own, where they raise vegetables and store their cattle, but they do not divide their provisions with the noncombatants, nor do they allow vegetables to be raised or cattle kept by any one but themselves, because it is their policy to prevent the Spanish army from obtaining any kind of resources in the country.

The Spanish army therefore exclusively depends upon the provisions imported from abroad. Rice, beans and flour they receive from Spain. Meat for the inhabitants of the seaports they obtain from Mexico and Florida. The 150,000 Spaniards under arms exclusively depend upon steamers loaded with provisions from abroad that enter the Cuban ports.

Not a potato comes into the city of Havana from the country. The milk is almost all condensed and imported from the United States. Eggs and vegetables are from Florida, and what is still more important, on account of the great financial distress in Havana the importing merchants do not keep a large stock of provisions. If the imports are stopped, the entire supply of food in Havana will be exhausted by the 200,000 inhabitants of the city in less than a week.

Suppose now that war is declared one of these days. The United States in that case has only to blockade the seaports of Cuba to starve out the whole Spanish army, and that without landing a single man on the island. The Spaniards will simply be compelled to surrender because of the lack of food.

To prevent the possibility that they might make a desperate effort inland to overpower the insurgents and get their vegetables and other provisions something might be done easily, quickly and at once. There are many seaports of some importance in Cuba absolutely defenseless from the seaside. Cardenas, for instance, in the province of Matanzas, on the northern coast, is one of them. Cardenas was taken in 1849 by the insurgent Narciso Lopez with a handful of Americans on board a small merchant vessel. Since then no fort capable of resisting a cannon shot has been built there. The Americans can hold Cardenas and from there communicate with the insurgents in the country. In a short time the whole Cuban army may be

well armed by them and secure some cannon to attack the inland towns. If without such munitions and with the immense risk and difficulties they incur in securing scanty supplies from the feeble filibustering expeditions they not only hold their own against Spain, but actually imprison Spaniards in their forts and cities, it is obvious that possessing war appliances which will place them in this respect on the same footing as the Spaniards themselves, they will exterminate all the Spanish columns daring to leave their fortified places and eventually invest them in the principal cities.

With a single dynamite gun of small caliber and with the 3,000 or 4,000 rifles received by him from several small expeditions sent from the United States General Garcia has driven the Spaniards from the greater part of the province of Santiago de Cuba.

It is a fact which even Spanish diplomacy will not dare to deny that if instead of hampering the Cubans in the United States in their work of sending expeditions to their brethren, if instead of prosecuting them in so drastic a manner as was done during the administration of Mr. Cleveland, if instead of keeping, at enormous cost to this country, the American navy and the police watching the Cuban junta and its agents, the Cubans here had been unmolested the possibility which now confronts us of an international war would not exist. The Cubans, with no more than 40,000 men in the field, and with all the odds against them, have proved in three years that they are more than a match for Spain. With a regular and ample supply of war materials they can free their island without any other help from abroad.

In a war between Spain and the United States it is beyond doubt that the whole Cuban army would be on the American side. There is no doubt either that we would give them all the rifles, cartridges and cannon they need. They would then take care of the land operations. We would only need to blockade the Spaniards by sea and let them starve.

Of course the Spaniards would make an attempt with their navy to break that blockade. The contest would then be only a naval one. But with their capital only 80 miles from Key West and 60 from Dry Tortugas, which would probably be the center of our naval operations, is it reasonable to suppose that the Spaniards could relieve Havana either by stealth or by force? In a few days the proud Spanish stronghold, with its Cabana fortress and its Morro castle, with its mined bay and its famous torpedoes, would be at our mercy and not very much blood would be shed.—New York Sun.

KAPIOLANI'S ESTATE.

The Queen Dowager Bestowed Her Entire Property on Her Nephews.

One of the largest realty transfers recorded on the Hawaiian Islands was made on Feb. 11, when Queen Dowager Kapiolani decided in fee simple to her nephews, Princes David and Cupid Kawanahoa, all her property, both real and personal. The exact value of Kapiolani's estate is unknown. The queen dowager receives no consideration. In the transfer it is stipulated that the princes will pay all outstanding debts against their aunt, including a mortgage on the property. She is also to receive the sum of \$1,000 a month during the remaining years of her life.

Kapiolani made the transfer for two reasons. One is that her nephews, who were made princes by the late King Kalakaua, should have something more than their titles, and, as Kapiolani has had two strokes of paralysis, and her nephews, who are her favorites, would be the heirs of her estate, she preferred to turn the property over to them while she is alive.—New York Tribune.

Not Half.

Mr. de Lome isn't in half the predicament a fellow is whose wife finds an old letter.—Denver Times.

A Dawson City Idyl.

A Dawson City mining man lay dying on the ice. He didn't have a woman nurse—he didn't have the price—But a comrade knelt beside him as the sun sank in repose.

To listen to his dying words and watch him while he froze. The dying man propped up his head above four rods of snow. And said: "I never saw it thaw at ninety-eight below. Send this little pinhead nugget that I swiped from Jason Dills. To my home, you know, at Deadwood, at Deadwood in the hills!"

"Tell my friends and tell my enemies, if you ever reach the east, That this Dawson City region is no place for man or beast; That the land's too elevated and the wind too awful cold.

And the hills of South Dakota yield as good a grade of gold. Tell my sweetheart not to worry with a sorrow too intense, For I'm going to a warmer and a far more cheery hence.

Oh, the air is growing thicker, and those breezes give me chills! See, I wish I was in Deadwood, in Deadwood in the hills!"

"Tell the fellows in the home land to remain and have a cinch: That the price of patent pork chops here is eighty cents an inch; That I speak as one who's been here scratching round to find the gold.

And at ten per cent of discount I could not buy up a cold. Now, so long!" he faintly whispered. "I have told you what to do."

And he closed his weary eyelids and froze solid, p. d. q.

His friends procured an organ box and a c. o. d. d. the bills. And sent the miner home that night to Deadwood in the hills.

—Deadwood Pioneer.

KARL's Clover Root Tea for constipation. It's the best and it's after using it you don't say so return the package and get your money. For sale by People's Drug Co.

THE ST. LOUIS PLATFORM.

Republican Congressional Committee Ready for Business.

Washington, March 4.—The executive committee of the Republican congressional committee is announced as follows: Representatives J. A. T. Hull of Iowa, J. G. Cannon of Illinois, D. H. Mercer of Nebraska; Senators Redfield Proctor of Vermont; J. H. Gallinger of New Hampshire, John L. Wilson of Washington, and Representatives J. T. McCleary of Minnesota, H. C. Loudenslager of New Jersey and Richmond Pearson of North Carolina.

Representative McCleary of Minnesota will have charge of the literary department of the congressional committee. This is an important post, as a large amount of Republican literature will be put out this campaign and circulated throughout the country. Chairman Babcock of the congressional committee said: "The coming campaign will be fought out on the lines of the platform adopted at St. Louis. That will be our only guide, save as new issues are created, as contingencies arise and new policies are made in congress. No committee has a right to make a platform for the party, and so we will be governed by that adopted in 1896."

BANK FOR A CONTINENT.

Big Institution Is Projected—Its Object Is to Keep Money at Home.

Chicago, March 4.—An international American bank, with a capital of \$25,000,000, is a project just now engaging the attention of American capitalists and business men. Bills have been introduced in the senate and house of representatives at Washington granting a charter to the proposed corporation and defining its rights and duties.

It has been ascertained that 90 per cent of the banking business between the United States and South American countries is done by London bankers. For their services they take an average commission of three-quarters of 1 per cent, which means an enormous total. To keep this money at home and increase the business of the country is the object of the proposed international bank.

Spaniards Are Worried.

Madrid, March 4.—The public is much exercised over the report of the presence of a squadron of United States war ships at Hong Kong, as it is presumed the vessels intend to threaten Manila, the capital of the Philippine islands, in the event of war between the United States and Spain.

The Impartial, in an article headed "To Manila, to New York," quotes an unnamed high personage who scouts the idea of imminent rupture, and says: "The presence of the war ships at Hong Kong is only Washington's policy with the view of contenting the jingoes."

The "high personage" is said to have added: "But America has not so many war ships as to warrant such bold action. If the Yankees go to the Philippines the Spaniards will go to New York."

Big Fire at Mankato, Minn.

Mankato, Minn., March 4.—The Young Men's Investment company's building was destroyed by fire at an early hour Thursday morning. There were about twenty-five people asleep in the building when the fire broke out, and many of these escaped with difficulty. The principal losses were incurred by the Mankato Blank Book Manufacturing company, which loses \$4,000, with an insurance of \$2,000; D. L. Rose, insurance, loss \$2,500, with insurance of \$500; building, \$34,000, insured for \$18,500.

Don't annoy other people by coughing and sneezing your life by neglecting a cold. One Minute Cough Cure cures coughs, colds, croup, grippe and all throat and lung troubles. People's Drug Co.

Nine Lost in a Squall.

Key West, Fla., March 4.—The schooner Speedwell, Capt. Collier, from Marco, Fla., for Key West, was struck by a squall while off Marquesas, eighteen miles from here, and capsized. Nine persons were drowned out of thirteen on board.

A LETTER TO WOMEN.

A few words from Mrs. Smith, of Philadelphia, will certainly corroborate the claim that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is woman's ever reliable friend.

"I cannot praise Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound too highly. For nine weeks I was in bed suffering with inflammation and congestion of the ovaries. I had a discharge all the time. When lying down all the time, I felt quite comfortable; but as soon as I would put my feet on the floor, the pains would come back.

"Every one thought it was impossible for me to get well. I was paying \$1 per day for doctor's visits and 75 cents a day for medicine. I made up my mind to try Mrs. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. It has effected a complete cure for me, and I have all the faith in the world in it. What a blessing to woman it is!"—MRS. JENNIE L. SMITH, No. 324 Kauffman St., Philadelphia, Pa.



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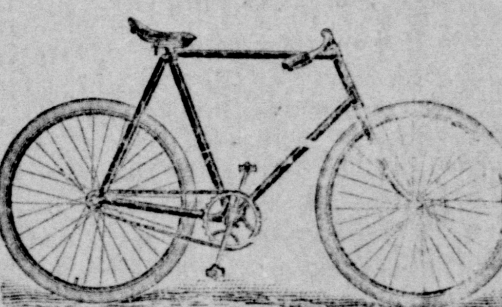
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Several numbers lately received of the "Kal-
amazon Skirt," also silk skirts.

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Spring showings are in and many special
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Many already sold; best values in town in
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VOTE WAS A DECISIVE ONE.

One Hundred and Sixty-Two Members of the House Go on Record Against the Measure—Senator Vest Condemns Purchase of Alaska.

Washington, March 4.—The Loud bill to correct alleged abuses of the second-class mail-matter privilege, which last year passed the house by a majority of 144 to 104, was buried by an overwhelming majority by the house Thursday. The vote was not taken directly on the bill, but on a motion to lay it on the table. By a vote of 162 to 119 the motion was carried. Forty-seven Republicans joined with the Democrats and Populists in accomplishing this result, and ten Democrats voted with the majority of the Republicans. The refusal of Mr. Loud to permit a vote on an amendment at the last minute was responsible in a measure for the result, but the strength of the measure undoubtedly waned throughout the three days' debate.

The bill would have excluded from classification as second-class matter, which pays postage at the rate of 1 cent per pound, books and reprints of books printed in serial form, sample copies of newspapers or periodicals, unsold copies returned from agents, and all publications designed primarily for advertising purposes. All such publications, by its terms, would go into the third class, which pays 8 cents per pound.

MAKES FUN OF ALASKA.

Mr. Vest Says Its Purchase Was a Bad Bargain—Its Farm Products.

Washington, March 4.—During almost the entire session Thursday the senate had under consideration the Alaskan homestead and railway right-of-way bill. One of the features of the discussion was a speech delivered by Mr. Vest (Mo.), in which he ridiculed the idea of homesteading any part of Alaska or constructing railroads in that district. His motion to eliminate the homestead feature of the bill by striking out the first section was defeated. He thought that after the ephemeral gold-seeking rush had subsided there would be no possible reason for the construction of railways in Alaska. Mr. Vest ridiculed the report made by the Rev. Dr. Sheldon Jackson upon the agriculture of Alaska, "Alaska," declared Mr. Vest, "is not an agricultural section, and it can never be made one. I speak from personal knowledge and not from government reports." He thought the purchase of Alaska for \$7,500,000 had been made recklessly and heedlessly.

Mr. Hoar's motion to non-concur in the house amendments to the bankruptcy bill and that a committee of conference be appointed was adopted. The vice-president appointed Messrs. Hoar, Nelson and Lindsay.

Canal Joining Great Lakes.

Washington, March 4.—Representative Chickering of New York has introduced a bill in the house appropriating \$1,000,000 to make a survey and estimate of the cost of a ship canal connecting the navigable waters of the Niagara River, and to purchase an approved right of way. His purpose is to secure a direct channel of deep water communication on United States soil between the five great lakes.

Hawley Bill Deferred.

Washington, March 4.—The Hawley bill for the creation of two additional regiments of artillery will not be taken up in the house at once, as some of its friends had hoped. The Republican members of the committee on rules have given the matter some consideration, but no conclusion was reached, and for the present, at least, the committee on military affairs will not be given time for its consideration.

Treaty with Idaho Indians.

Washington, March 4.—The secretary of the interior has sent to the senate the treaty recently negotiated with the Indians on the Fort Hall reservation, in Idaho. The cession embraces 418,560 acres, 45,000 of which are susceptible of cultivation, and include the site of the town of Pocatello, which had been previously sold by the Indians.

To Investigate Assassination.

Washington, March 4.—Postmaster General Gary has directed that an inspector be sent to Ada, Ga., to investigate the circumstances incident to the assassination of Mr. Freeman, who was appointed postmaster, but was killed before he entered on the duties of his office.

Mason Introduces Relief Measure.

Washington, March 4.—Senator Mason introduced a resolution appropriating \$10,000 for the relief of the widow of the colored postmaster recently killed by a mob at Lake City, S. C.

Martin Case Nearly Ended.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., March 4.—The taking of testimony for the defense in the trial of Sheriff Martin and his deputies for the shooting of the marching strikers at Latimer some time ago has ended. Nothing new was brought out by the testimony.

Kaiser's Naval Bill Will Pass.

Berlin, March 4.—The budget committee of the reichstag adopted several additional naval paragraphs on the naval bill. Its ultimate passage is regarded as assured.

Whooping cough is the most distressing malady, but its duration can be cut short by the use of One Minute Cough Cure which is also the best known remedy for croup and all lung and bronchial troubles. People's Drug Co.

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NEW TRIAL ASKED.

Change of Venue Likely in the Drainage Case.

Joliet, Ill., March 4.—A climax is likely to be reached in the celebrated drainage canal case today, when a discharge of the jury and change of venue will be demanded by the drainage attorneys.

Frederick W. C. Hayes, attorney of the sanitary district, positively declared that in order to secure a fair verdict he would insist on an immediate discharge of the present jury.

This action has been hastened by the developments of Thursday, in which the lines of battle now drawn clearly indicate, he believes, an intense local prejudice against the drainage board. This has been intensified by congratulations tempered with offers of "moral and material aid" showered upon John P. King, J. C. Carlross and Henry Fell, three of the men accused of attempting to influence the jury, who were purged of contempt in Judge Hilscher's court. All Joliet rejoices in their vindication. In the eyes of their fellow citizens they now stand as innocent men.

TO TEST DUN'S LIABILITY.

C. F. Gilman of Omaha Files a Suit of Great Commercial Interest.

Omaha, Neb., March 4.—The liability of commercial credit companies for loss sustained by mercantile concerns in sales to merchants on the strength of ratings given by the credit companies to the members is about to be tested in the local courts. C. F. Gilman of Omaha has sued the R. G. Dun company for \$232. This is the value of a bill of goods Gilman sold to a Hiawatha (Kas.) merchant on credit and which he was unable to collect. The petition relates that the credit was extended on the strength of rating secured from Dun, who was under contract to furnish the plaintiff ratings on all firms in the United States. Dun's rating of the Hiawatha merchant gave that gentleman credit for having \$50,000 above his liabilities and good pay. The petition of Gilman asserts that the firm is judgment proof and nothing can be collected on the bill.

Many Congratulate the Pope.

Rome, March 4.—The pope Thursday received in separate audience each member of the diplomatic corps accredited to the holy see who called to congratulate his holiness upon the twenty-first year of his pontificate, which opens today. Afterward there was a commemorative mass in theistine chapel. Cardinal Vannutrelli celebrated mass, and at its conclusion the pope intoned the Te Deum and pronounced the apostolic benediction. There was an immense congregation present, and his holiness was warmly acclaimed.

Canadian Concession Denied.

Ottawa, Ont., March 4.—At last night's session of the house a member of the opposition called the attention of the government to the dispatch from Washington stating that the Canadian government would hereafter allow American vessels to transport merchandise from one Canadian port to another, and asked whether such report was correct. The premier in reply said that there was no truth in it.

Ban on Gold Contracts.

Frankfort, Ky., March 4.—The house of representatives Thursday passed by a party vote an act to prevent the making of a contract payable in gold and making such a contract null and void. The bill is substantially a copy of the Nebraska law, and prevents the discrimination of either metal against the other, and declares both gold and silver legal tender in payment of debt on exactly the same terms.

Hedley Case with the Jury.

Carlinville, Ill., March 4.—The Hedley case went to the jury last night. During the day the attorneys made their pleas, the combined time consumed by the speakers being nearly twenty-four hours. Capt. Hedley is confident of acquittal. The general opinion is that he will be acquitted or that the jury will fail to agree.

Fire at Kobe, Japan.

London, March 4.—A cablegram received from Kobe, Japan, states that a fire occurred in the sheds on the docks there, and that the goods stored therein from a vessel from Bombay have been burned, together with the vessel, and that there had also been burned American cotton to the value of \$200,000.

Carlists Issue a Manifesto.

Madrid, March 4.—The Carlists have issued a manifesto announcing their intention to take part in the coming elections.

The queen regent has signed the decree reducing the duties on wheat and flour.

Claims Complete Alibi.

Burlington, Iowa, March 4.—The attorney for A. D. Storms, charged with the murder of Mrs. Rathbun, is in town working in his client's interest. He claims he has been able to account for every minute of Storm's time at the time the murder was committed, thus making a complete alibi.

Thirty Tons of Powder Daily.

Reading, Pa., March 4.—Several citizens just returned from Wilmington visited the large Dupont powder works on business. While there they learned that the plant was turning out thirty tons of smokeless powder every twenty-four hours.

John Newton Hendren Dying.

Staunton, Va., March 4.—John Newton Hendren, ex-treasurer of the confederacy, is critically ill at his suburban residence near this city, and his death may come at any time.

NOT EXACTLY ALIKE.



"So you were gagged and bound by bandits, eh? Quite like a comic opera!" "No, sir! There was nothing of the comic opera style about them. The gags they used were new."—London Idler.

Investigations.

It is an old-time fact; and still Anew 'twill oft surprise the land. Folks seem to know a lot until You get them on the witness stand. —Washington Star.

In the Early Morning.

The Wife—Did you ever hear such language as that man in the next flat is using?

The Husband—He must be mad clean through.

"Do you suppose he's asleep?"

"No, that's the trouble; he's awake and he's addressing his conversation to his alarm clock."—Yonkers Statesman.

JANESVILLE MARKET PRICES.

Quotations On Grain And Produce are Reported For The Gazette.

The following figures show the range of prices in the local market.

Flour—Good to best Patent, \$1.25 to \$1.40 per sack.
W. EAT—Fair to best quality \$5 @ \$1
BUCKWHEAT—60 @ \$5 a 100
BUCKWHEAT Flour—25c for 10 lbs. sack.
W. E. In request at 47 @ 49c per bu. 100.
BARLEY—Ranges at 27c @ 35c according to quality
OATS—Shelled \$7.25 @ 7.50 per ton. Ear 6.75 @ 7.00
OATS—white, 23 @ 24c
CLOVER SEED—\$2.50 @ 3.00 per bushel.
TIMOTHY SEED—35c @ 31.25 per bushel.
MEAL—50c per 100. \$13.00 per ton. Bottled 55c
FEED—55c @ 70 per 100 lbs. \$13.00 @ 14 per ton
BRAN—60c per 100 lbs; \$12.00 per ton.
MIDDLINGS—55c per 100, \$13.00 per ton
HAY—Timothy Per ton, \$6.50 @ \$7.00, other kinds \$5.00 @ \$6.00 per ton
STRAW—\$4.00 @ \$4.50 per ton.
POTATOES—55 @ 65c per bushel.
BEANS—75 @ \$1.00 per bushel.
HUTCHER—15c @ 17c.
EGGS—Scarc, 15 @ 14 per dozen.
POULTRY—Turkeys 10 @ 11c. Chickens, 8 @ 9.
WOOL—17c @ 20c for washed; 15c @ 18c for unwashed.
HIDES—Green, 8c @ 7c; dry, 13c @ 14c.
FELTS—Range at 30c @ 30c each.
LIVE STOCK—Cattle \$2.00 @ 2.50 per 100 lbs. Hogs, \$3.50 @ 3.75 per 100 lbs.

WHAT pleasure is there in life with a headache, constipation and biliousness? Thousands experience them who could become perfectly healthy by using DeWitt's Little Early Risers, the famous little pills. People's Drug Co.

Liberal Claims Are Proven.

Toronto, Ont., March 4.—A canvass of the votes cast at the recent election showed that the liberals' claim of victory was well founded, the government having been sustained by a small margin. The standing is: Liberals, 49; conservatives, 43; independent, 2, leaving the liberal government with a working majority of four over all, with one constituency (Russell county) vacant, which will no doubt go to the government.

A thrill of terror is experienced when a brassy cough or croup sounds through the house at night. But the terror soon changes to relief after One Minute Cough Cure has been administered. Safe and harmless for children. People's Drug Co.

Reduced Rates For Settlers.

In order to encourage the movement of settlers and land buyers from Illinois, Wisconsin, Iowa and the eastern states to Western Minnesota, South Dakota and North Dakota, the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railway Co. has very materially reduced its carload rates for emigrant movables, so that farmers who have purchased lands in Western Minnesota, South Dakota and North Dakota can take all of their belongings with them to their new homes at small expense, which inducement upon the part of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Ry. will no doubt be greatly appreciated by those who are thus benefited. For further information apply to any agent of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Ry., or to J. H. Hiland, General Freight Agent, Old Colony Building, Chicago, Ill.

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Be sure and use the old and well tried remedy Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for children teething. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind colic, and is the best remedy for diarrhoea. Twenty-five cents a bottle.

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THE RAILROAD TIME-TABLES.

Chicago & Northwestern	Leave For	Arrive From
Chgo Via Clinton*	6:40 am	8:30 pm
Chgo Via Clinton & Sharon*	7:40 am	8:10 pm
Chgo Via Clinton & Sharon*	12:40 pm	12:40 pm
Chgo Via Clinton & Sharon*	1:40 pm	6:30 am
Chgo Via Beloit & Harvard*	2:10 pm	11:40 am
Beloit, Rockford, — DeKalb		6:40 pm
Freeport, Omaha, Denver		10:40 pm
all Nebraska and Ia. points		8:25 am
Beloit, Rockford, Freeport,		
Watertown, Fond du Lac	7:30 pm	10:25 am
Waukesha & Milwaukee	12:45 pm	12:15 pm
Watertown & J. neu Freight	4:00 pm	
Watertown	8:15 pm	7:30 am
Evansville, Brooklyn, Oregon		
Madison, Elroy, LaCrosse,		
Winona and points in Minn		
and Dak.	6:30 am	
Evansville, Madison, Elroy,		
LaCrosse, Winona & St Paul	11:00 am	3:00 pm
Leyden, Fellows, Evansville,		
Brooklyn, Oregon, Madison	8:05 pm	3:20 am
Evansville, Madison, St Paul		
& Duluth	9:30 pm	6:30 pm
Evansville, Madison, St Paul,		
Winona & Dakota	12:45 am	7:20 pm
Evansville, Madison, Elroy	7:30 am	
Chgo Via Beloit & Harvard*	2:15 pm	1:15 pm
Beloit	10:40 pm	
Watertown, Fond du Lac,		
Cashkosh and points north	7:00 am	10:40 pm
Beloit, Rockford, DeKalb		6:40 pm
*Daily & Sunday only.		

Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul.	Leave For.	Arrive From.
Chicago, Elgin, Rockford	*1:10 pm	12:20 pm
and Beloit	7:00 am	9:00 am
Milwaukee, Watertown,		\$10:15 pm
Waukesha and Chgo	10:30 am	9:35 pm
casot	4:40 pm	7:40 pm
St. Paul, La Crosse,	9:30 am	9:17 am
Portage and Mad.	4:40 pm	11:30 am
son	7:40 pm	6:35 pm
Edgerton, Stoughton, Mad-		
ison, Lone Rock, Richland		
Center, Prairie du Chien,		
McGregor, Portage, La		
Crosse, Winona, St Paul,		
and Minneapolis	4:40 pm	
Iowa, Minnesota, North and		
South Dakota, St. Paul		
and Minneapolis, through		
sleeper and reclining chair		
cars via McGregor—daily		
except Saturday	9:30 am	9:17 am
Chicago, Elgin, Rock-	9:35 am	4:10 pm
ford and Beloit, (daily)	11:30 am	
Chicago, Elgin, Rockford,		6:30 pm
Beloit, Delavan, Elkhorn	11:30 am	
and Racine		12:50 pm
Kansas City through train		
Beloit, Rockford, Freeport		
Savanna, Dubuque, Rock	12:30 pm	10:00 am
Island, Cedar Rapids, Ia.		4:10 pm
Beloit, Rockford, Savanna,		6:06 pm
Sioux City Omaha, Den-	6:30 pm	9:00 am
ver and west fast train		4:10 pm
Monroe and Mineral	9:30 am	9:00 am
Portage	6:10 pm	9:25 am
Monroe and Mineral Pt.	8:00 am	6:10 pm
mixed	10:00 am	3:30 am
*Sunday only		8:30 pm
†Daily		
‡Daily except Sunday		
§Except Saturday		

MAILS ARRIVE AND DEPART.

JANESVILLE MAILS.	Arrive.	Close.
Chicago, East, West, South-	6:00 am	9:00 am
west	7:35 am	10:00 am
North and Northwest		
Chicago, East, North and		
Northwest	9:40 am	12:20
Chicago, North, East, West		
and General	12:40 pm	
Chicago, East and all points	6:00 pm	8:00 pm
North and West	6:30 pm	7:00 pm
11:30 am		
SUNDAY MAILS.		
Chicago, East, South and	6:00 am	
Southwest	7:30 pm	7:00 pm
North, Northwest, Etc.		
MONDAY ONLY.		
Chicago, East, West and		7:00 pm
South		
STAGE MAILS.		
Johnstown and Richmond	11:00 am	2:30 pm
Emerald Grove and Fair-	11:00 am	2:00 am
field		

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Woman's Way.

"When it pours down rain my wife always says it is a good day to stay at home."

"Yes?"
"And then invariably she puts on her mackintosh and goes somewhere."—Chicago Record.

She Was Safe.

"Do you take him for better or worse?" The minister asked of the bride.
"I'll take him for better," she said.
"For he couldn't be worse if he tried."—N. Y. Journal.

AFTER THE BALL.



First She—Was Miss Blinks at the ball last evening?
Second She—She said she didn't have the face to appear.
First She—Who stole her make-up box?—N. Y. Herald.

A Sweeter Music.

Tom is teaching Maud how to whistle, but the lessons have many slips, for he always interrupts her as soon as she puckers her lips.—Judge.

He Quotes.

"You always seem to be on the watch for the police," observed his friend.
"I am," said the bank burglar who stood in the front rank of his profession. "Eternal vigilance is the price of liberty."—N. Y. Journal.

Discarded.

"See here, you infernal youngster, what did you swat me in the neck with that apple for?"
"It wasn't any good, sir."—Detroit Free Press.

No Compliment That Time.

Mrs. Spender—What will you do when you have no little wifey to look after your clothes?

Her Husband—Have money to buy new ones.—Odds and Ends.

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